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PRESIDENT HARAHAN IS KILLED IN WRECK

He and Three Other Railroad Officials Meet Death Today

IN ILLINOIS CENTRAL DISASTER

Passenger Train Crashes Into Special Car of the Railroad Executive—No Other Passengers Reported Injured. Misunderstanding of Orders.

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 22.—Former President James T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central railroad and three railroad officials traveling with him in a private car, were killed in a wreck on that line in Kinmundy, Ill., at 12.30 A. M. today.

THE DEAD.

JAMES T. HARAHAN.

E. B. PIERCE, Chicago, General Solicitor of the Rock Island railroad.

F. O. MELCHER, Chicago, Second Vice President of the Rock Island railroad.

E. E. WRIGHT, Memphis, son of former Secretary of War Luke E. Wright, connected with the legal department of the Illinois Central.

An official statement of the Illinois Central officials here says that no passengers were seriously hurt, but that Engineer Stewart of one of the wrecked trains and his fireman were injured.

The private car in which the railroad officials were riding was the rear car on Train No. 25 south bound, which had stopped at a tank at Kinmundy to take water. Train No. 3, also south bound, which had the right of way, crashed into the rear of No. 25 while going at a speed of 50 miles an hour. The private car was utterly demolished and every person in it was killed.

Harahan's body was thrown through the roof of the car and was found beside the wreckage. The body of Melcher was found beside that of Harahan. Pierce and Wright were taken from the wreckage by passengers. All were dead when their bodies were found.

A misunderstanding of orders is given as the cause of the disaster. Train No. 25 had orders to take the siding at Kinmundy for No. 3 to pass her. Her crew believed they had time to take on water before making the siding. The engineer of train No. 3 believing he had a clear track was going ahead at top speed, and saw the rear lights of the private car too late to avert a collision, oar oven to reduce the speed of his train. The heavy engine plowed through the light private car and reduced it to a mass of splintered wood and twisted iron. The crash came without the slightest warning to those in the car.

The passengers of both wrecked trains formed volunteer rescue brigade and the bodies were quickly removed from the scene and taken to the station in Kinmundy.

Within 15 minutes after the accident a wrecking train and a corps of physicians were on their way to the scene from Centralia. The bodies of Harahan, Pierce and Melcher were sent to this city today, according to advices received by the officials of the railroad here and will arrive at 3.30 this afternoon. The body of Wright was sent to Memphis, his home.

Both of the wrecked trains are through Chicago-New Orleans trains, No. 25, the one carrying the private car, running via Memphis, while No. 3 did not stop there.

The railroad men left Chicago at 5.50 last night; No. 3 left at 7 o'clock. Harahan and his guests were en route to attend a conference of railroad interests at Memphis today, relative to plans for building a new bridge across the Mississippi river at this point. The Rock Island and the Illinois Central companies were interested in the construction. Harahan recently became interested in a gigantic construction company.

SOLD ITALIAN WINE.

It Results in Prosecution for Illegal Liquor Selling Before Squire Donegan.

Information was made this morning before Justice of the Peace Lawrence Donegan by Lovigio Feraro of the West Side against Carmino Foghi for illegal liquor selling. The information has been a long time coming, for according to Feraro, the stuff was sold on December 18.

Foghio is supposed to have sold 4 gallons of the best Italian wine to Angelo Fornaro. Just why Feraro should figure in the deal is not known. All are Italians and the services of an interpreter were required when the information was made.

Cohen Has Appendicitis.

Abe Cohen, the well known interpreter of the West Side, was operated on Saturday afternoon at the Cottage State hospital for appendicitis. He was taken ill suddenly Saturday and the operation was performed a few hours afterwards. Mr. Cohen suffered an attack of appendicitis about a year ago. He stood the operation as well as could be expected and was resting easy today at noon.

Prosecutes Husband.

Charging her husband, Wade Johnson, with taking three judgment notes amounting to $337, Mary Johnson appeared before Squire Donegan Saturday afternoon and made information against him. They are residents of Connellsville township, living on the Keldmore road. They have not been living together for some time.

PITTSBURG MILLS RUNNING BETTER THAN FOR YEARS

Big Orders For Rails and Structural Material Placed During Week That Closed Saturday.

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 22.—An interesting week closed Saturday in the Pittsburg steel trade by the appearance of new rail orders and structural contracts that have been held up pending a decision of the larger buyers of steel. The Erie railroad announced that it had placed orders for 30,000 tons of standard section rails—$840,000 worth—which will go mainly to the United States Steel Corporation and a portion of which will come to the Edgar Thompson works at Braddock. Next to the New York Central system, this is the largest order of the week.

The Carnegie Steel Company received an order for $2,194,000 worth of armor plate for the battleships Oklahoma and Nebraska, now being built for the navy, thus obtaining about one-third of the total order. The tonnage amounts to 5,132 tons in all. Midvale and Bethlehem companies secured the other two-thirds of the order, which totaled $6,573,000. This good slice of business comes to Homestead.

The American Bridge Company, the third Pittsburg industry to come in for a generous share of new business booked three contracts, all of which are for New York City. One calls for 1,500 tons of structural steel for a new building in Forty-Second street, New York. A second requires 5,500 tons of steel for the Johnson building, in New York, and the third, 3,000 tons of structural steel for two sections of the New York subway, known as sections 5 and 9 of the Lexington avenue extension. In all, 10,000 tons are thus booked by the company, valued at about $1,300,000.

The plate mills in Pittsburg are, according to the steel men, running at a higher ratio of production than in years. There is, in fact, a delay in shipments at this time, as car building companies are taking plates for car construction more rapidly than for some years past, and in some cases are behind on delivery.

SUPERINTENDENT ASHE NOW READY FOR THE INSTITUTE

Sessions Will Be Held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of This Week at the High School.

Superintendent S. P. Ashe is rapidly rounding into shape all plans for holding the Teachers' Institute to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. It was announced this morning that all the sessions will be held in the High School auditorium. Last year part were held there and part in the Carnegie Free Library auditorium. The High School has been selected because better accommodations are afforded for the instructing of classes. The nature of the work followed will be largely similar to that of last year.

The morning session will start at 9 o'clock and those of the afternoon at 1.30. In the morning the general outline of departmental meetings and general talks will be followed. The different instructors will take their different sections apart. In the afternoons, a more literary program will be followed. There will be a general talk, music and an address by one of the instructors. In the evening the directors will receive most of the attention. The session will be in charge of President F. E. Younkin. On Tuesday evening Professor O. T. Corson of the Ohio State University will deliver an address on "The Director's Place in Education." Other topics concerning general pedagogy will be discussed.

All sessions are open to the public. Superintendent Ashe said this morning that they were not only welcome but that they were urged to attend. If any person can not be punctual they are urged to come at any time and leave at any time. Especially are the school children urged to attend.

NO CHANGE OF OFFICERS IN WRIGHT-METZLER COMPANY

Stockholders Held Their Annual Meeting in Uniontown this Morning—F. W. Wright President.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 21.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wright-Metzler Company held at Uniontown this morning, the old officers and directors were re-elected. Reports for the past year were read. The company has had a very prosperous year. Following are the directors: F. W. Wright, President; W. E. Sharps, Vice President; S. W. Metzler, Secretary and Treasurer. The board of directors includes all of the officers and the following: W. L. Wright of Connellsville; W. W. Wright of Cleveland, O.; Robert Felty of Springfield, O., and J. W. Sharps of Buckhannon, W. Va.

Out of town directors at the meeting were, W. W. Wright of Cleveland, O., F. W. Wright, W. L. Wright of Connellsville, and J. W. Sharps of Buckhannon, W. Va.

IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZED.

Glass Brick Company Will Double Its Capacity at Plant Here.

The stockholders of the National Glass Brick Company met in Pittsburg Saturday and re-elected the directors and former officers. Raymond W. Greer of Uniontown was named secretary and treasurer.

Resolutions were adopted authorizing the doubling of the capacity of the plant at this place and also for selling $100,000 7 per cent. accumulative preferred stock.

GENERAL SAFETY COMMITTEE HERE

Baltimore & Ohio Officials Hold Meeting in Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

CORDIAL WELCOME FOR PUBLIC

Baltimore Officials Met With Divisional Safety Committee During the Afternoon and Inspected Yards. Illustrated Talks.

The General Safety Committee of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad arrived in Connellsville this morning and will have charge of the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening when illustrated talks will be made. The meeting, while of particular interest to railroad men, will be enjoyed by the general public, which is given a cordial invitation to attend. Stereopticon views will be given to illustrate practices which result in accidents to trainmen and passengers, while talks will be made on how to protect the property of the company, as well as lives and limbs of employes and passengers.

The General Safety Committee consists of A. Hunter Boyd, Jr., chairman; J. W. Coon, vice chairman; E. Stimson, C. W Egan, Dr. J. F. Tierney and W. L. Robinson. General Claim Agent Egan and W. L. Robinson will be the principal speakers. T. E. Stacy, secretary of the B. & O. Y. M. C. A., is with the party.

The Safety Committee of the Connellsville division is made up of E. E. Poole, representing the shops; W. F. Hetrick of the engineers, W. E. Boyland, train committeeman, E. C. Lowden of the yard forces, A. P. Williams representing the maintenance of way forces, Frank Bryne of the claim department and Dr. M. H. Kubler of the relief department.

The members of both the General and Divisional committees will be present tonight as well as those employes of the division who can arrange to be present. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock.

This is the first meeting with the general committee which goes from here to New Castle, Cleveland, Newark and Pittsburg. General Manager A. W. Thompson will speak at Newark and Vice President G. M. Schriver at Pittsburg.

The interest of the Baltimore & Ohio management in the campaign of safety to the public and employes, was shown at the large mass meeting of railroad men and officials, which was held at the Riverside Terminal, Baltimore, last Wednesday evening, January 17th. President Willard addressed the meeting and assured the men that the railroad is supporting the campaign from both a moral and financial standpoint and will leave nothing undone to further the safety, first, last and all the time. President Willard himself has won his way in railway service through the ranks, from fireman, engineer, brakeman and conductor, a student of the school of practical experience. In his address Mr. Willard said:

"Anything which tends to safeguard the life and limb of men is a worthy cause and will always receive hearty approbation. I want to see such general co-operation in the work of all departments that it can be said of the Baltimore & Ohio it is the best and safest company in existence.

"You men in the ranks have opportunity of seeing what is needed for the greater protection of yourselves and the users of the road. The purpose of this movement is to encourage an expression of these ideas. Don't hesitate to tell your views when you believe their adoption will be for the general betterment. They will be accepted when practical. We want them, so don't be backward.

"The management through its President, now says to you and to all all in the service that it wants this element of safety to take precedence at all times and under all circumstances. We lay down the principle of safety first, comfort second and then punctuality."

General Manager Thompson also spoke at the Baltimore meeting on the importance of safety.

DICTIONARIES HAVE ARRIVED; COME EARLY AND GET YOURS

Supply Will Be Exhausted Rapidly and No Further Orders Will Be Made—Last Chance to Invest.

The Courier today received the last consignment of dictionaries that will be offered for the proper coupons and expense bonus of 98 cents. When these books have been taken up, the offer will be closed. Dozens of prospective investors in dictionaries were disappointed because they were backward applying when the last consignment was received.

The early applicants will get the books this time. The supply will probably be exhausted within the next few days.

Mr. Baumgartner Here.

J. Hampton Baumgartner, the ubiquitous press representative of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, is in Connellsville today with the members of the General Safety Committee. Mr Baumgartner took advantage of the opportunity to become personally acquainted with the newspaper men who only know him through the interesting press matter he sends out from Baltimore every twice in a while.

Fair tonight and tomorrow, with moderate temperature, is the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

	Weather	1911	1912
Jan. 21, 8 A. M.	Fair	56	21
Jan. 21, 5 P. M.	Cloudy	41	30
Jan. 22, 8 A. M.	Cloudy	31	35

The thermometer is again rising and weather conditions taking on a spring-like aspect. A comparison of the temperatures this year are interesting. At this time last year the thermometer was making a break downward, dropping from 56 at 8 o'clock on January 21 to 31 at the same hour on the next day. This year the thermometer is rising although not in proportion with last. The temperature has risen from 24 yesterday at 8 o'clock to 35 this morning.

The river channel is entirely free from ice cakes. Great drifts of snow line its banks, but there is no ice at all in the water. The morning reading gave the river a height of 4 00.

TOOK CARBOLIC ACID FOR COUGH SYRUP

Miss Edna Younkin in Serious Condition, but May Recover.

DRANK POISON IN DARKNESS

Went to Cupboard About Three O'clock Yesterday Morning and Swallowed the Acid—Unconscious for Hours But Finally Revives.

Taking carbolic acid by mistake for cough syrup, Miss Edna Younkin, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Messmore Younkin of South Connellsville, is in a serious condition today. The near-tragedy occurred yesterday morning, about 3 o'clock. Miss Younkin awoke and went downstairs to a cupboard where the cough syrup was kept. She reached for a bottle in the darkness and drank its contents.

The vial contained carbolic acid. The screams of the badly burned girl awakened the family, and Dr. W. J Churchill was summoned. Miss Younkin was unconscious for several hours but was finally revived.

It was stated today that her chances for recovery are excellent despite the serious burns that she sustained.

SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE COP MAKES HIS FIRST ARREST

Village Cut-Up Underestimated Officer Ritenour's Ability. Pathetic Tale Worked.

South Connellsville came to the front Saturday with the first arrest that has been made in the new borough. "Curly" Powell, who enjoys a reputation as the village cut-up, became intoxicated and started out with the intention of "licking somebody."

He boarded a car for Connellsville but before going espied Police Officer Samuel Ritenour and made some pertinent remarks at Ritenour's expense.

"I'm not going on this car until I lick somebody," said Powell. "Are you the constable here?"

"I am," replied Ritenour.

"Well," said Powell, "You couldn't arrest one side of me."

"You are under arrest," said Ritenour.

The altercation drew quite a crowd. Ritenour easily over came his man and started him towards the Connellsville police station. On the way Powell put up a tale of woe and Ritenour, for the reason that South Connellsville has no police station as yet, let him go on his own recognizance. He will appear for trial before Burgess Lee Thursday and the borough clerk will have opportunity of making the first entry on the docket of the new borough.

RAIDED THE HOUSE.

Officer Ritenour and Constable Fields Busy Sunday Morning.

Police Officer Samuel Ritenour and Constable Edward Fields raided James McElhaney's house near Sisson park, South Connellsville, early Sunday morning on the suspicion that it was a disorderly house.

McElhaney and three others were arrested. They will be given a hearing before Squire Edenbo this afternoon.

ROUSING RECEPTION FOR JOHN MITCHELL

Labor Man Appears in Indianapolis to Answer Charges.

FEEHAN WINS HIS CONTENTION

Pittsburg Man's Delegates Seated Over Those of Gibbons—Hitch in Wage Scale Anticipated Over the Eight Hour Day Clause.

Special to The Courier

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22.—John Mitchell of Mount Vernon, N. Y., former president of the United Mine Workers of America, holding its twenty-third annual convention here, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. His presence at the Hotel English soon became known and during the afternoon and evening he was tendered a reception that was without precedent in the history of the organization.

Mitchell stated he did not yet know when he would be called upon by the convention to make answer to the charges that had been filed against him, but he hoped that it would be today, or not later than Tuesday, as he has other engagements to keep.

The scale committee got down to work yesterday afternoon and after an extended session turned over to a subcommittee, to report Tuesday night all the resolutions that had been received from the various locals with regard to a general advance and payment for work in and around the mine. It may be generally said that Illinois demands a 10 per cent increase, with Indiana in the same class, while Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia demand an increase of 5 per cent. Each State, too, demands a day of not more than eight hours, while some resolutions from all the State demand a week of five days, or not more than five and one-half days.

The eight-hour day is going to cause trouble, as in the proposed constitution there is this clause. "Not more than eight hours from bank to bank, in each 24 hours, shall be worked by members of our organization."

This means that in cases where, at present, after a miner has reached the mine, it takes 20, 30, 40 or as many more minutes as the case may be, to reach the actual point where he works, this necessary time shall not be taken from the eight hours. It also means that the operators must pay for all this time occupied in going to and coming from actual work. As the present agreement stands with Pittsburg district No. 5, it reads as follows.

"That an eight-hour day means eight hours' work in the mines at usual working places for all classes of inside day labor. This shall be exclusive of the time required in reaching such working places in the morning and departing from the same at night."

A representative of the Western Pennsylvania operators here tonight asserted that the new clause in the proposed constitution, it enacted, will suffice of its own accord to bring about a disagreement in the joint conference of miners and operators.

After a debate that extended over five hours, and which was marked by bitter recriminations and the passing of the lie, was reached late Saturday that Robert Gibbons, Abe Kephart and James Sabin, members of Pittsburg district No. 5, were not entitled to be seated as delegates. It has been anticipated that the convention would be about equally divided when the vote was taken, but only about a score at the crucial point stood up to be counted in favor of the men being seated.

District President Feehan not only scored a victory in having these men unseated, but he scored an earlier victory Saturday morning when the credentials committee reported in favor of seating William Smart and P. P. Henneway, also members of No. 5, who had been protested by Kephart, a lieutenant of Gibbons.

The joint wage conference has been postponed until January 30.

BURGLAR BREAKS INTO STORE; FINDS CASH DRAWERS EMPTY

Gained Entrance to Five and Ten Cent Store Late Saturday Night and Missed the Music.

For the second time since J. G. McCrorey & Company have conducted a store in Connellsville, burglars forced an entrance there late Saturday night. Nothing was taken, the burglar being scared away before he could gather any loot.

Most of the Saturday night money had been taken to the bank at 9 o'clock and the balance was in the custody of Manager C. N. Holt. Nothing but the empty cash drawers greeted the burglar.

Entrance was affected by forcing a window in the rear of the building. A ladder had been left immediately under the window and this was used to reach the window, about 12 feet from the ground. The window is directly in the rear of the music counter and this morning all that was disturbed was the music.

Suit Is Withdrawn.

Mrs. F. L. Brendel has withdrawn the suit for divorce filed against her husband in Cumberland. Mr. Brendel is now General Trainmaster of the Western Maryland, being stationed at Baltimore.

Burgess Is Stricken.

Burgess J. F. Hamilton of West Newton was stricken with paralysis and is in a serious condition.

STEEL RATE FIGHT OPENS QUESTION OF WIDE IMPORT

Entire Problem of Rates on Low Grade and Bulky Commodities Must Be Passed Upon.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—In the two complaints the Pittsburg Steel Company filed Saturday with the Interstate Commerce Commission against rates on ore from Ashtabula Harbor, and on finished and semi-finished products, the rate of 96 cents a ton on iron ore from Ashtabula Harbor is attacked, and the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company, the Pennsylvania company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are named as defendants. It is claimed that the rate is 100 per cent. too high. In the complaint on semi-finished and finished products, in which rates are attacked generally, the same carriers, and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St Louis Railway Company, the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company and others are named. The complaints charge,

"That said rates from the Pittsburg districts to the points named were established and are maintained in force by mutual agreement and combination between and among the defendant carriers named in this proceeding; that said combination and agreement was made and is maintained in violation of law to the prejudice and injury of the complainants."

These proceedings are considered among the most important ever brought before the commission, as they will open up the whole question of freight rates on low grade and bulky commodities. It is stated that figures have been compiled showing that valuable commodities such as silks, dry goods etc., are carried now by the railroads at a lower rate per car load than coal in carload lots. It is also claimed that a carload of sugar can be transported for instance between New York and Chicago for a less rate than a carload of coal notwithstanding the large disparity in the value of the commodities.

The filing of these complaints by Wade H Ellis recalls the recent statement of Senator Oliver that the rates on ore to the Pittsburg district are 100 per cent too high, and these are the same rates that prevail generally for the shipment of ore.

REV. PROUDFIT CONTINUES HIS CHARITY INVESTIGATIONS

Went to Marietta Row With Health Officer Allen Hyatt Today to Look Into Two Cases.

Rev. J. L. Proudfit, of the charity committee of the Chamber of Comerce is still investigating cases that have been reported. Despite the recent change in the weather, the Charity Committee has been flooded with petitions of people who have real or imaginary troubles. This morning Rev. Proudfit investigated two cases in Marietta row. According to information received the two families are in dire circumstances. Illness was also reported. Health Officer Allen Hyatt accompanied Rev Proudfit.

In the past few days very few cases where actual aid was necessary have been found. The usual number of mendicants with eyes on the charity fund have been in evidence.

LITTLE JOHN BOSLET BADLY BURNED BUT WILL RECOVER

His "Nightie" Ignited from Gas Stove and Father Is Singed Extinguishing the Flames.

John Boslet, the 8 year old son of Mr and Mrs H. J. Boslet of South Pittsburg street, had a narrow escape from being seriously burned about 8 o'clock this morning. The little fellow had just arisen and while passing an open gas stove in the bed room his night robe ignited. Mrs. Boslet who was in the room at the time, summoned her husband and the flames were extinguished before the boy was seriously burned. His right side is painfully burned.

In his efforts to save the life of his boy, Mr Boslet suffered painful burns to both hands. A physician was summoned and rendered medical aid. The child, while suffering much pain, his condition is not serious.

GIRLS WERE NOISY.

Police Picked Them Up at B. & O. Depot Saturday Night.

Margaret Orndolph of South Connellsville and her friend, Ruth McClintock of the West Side became too boisterous in the Baltimore & Ohio depot Saturday night and were arrested by Chief of Police Hetzel and Officer J. Francis.

It was the McClintock's girl first appearance before Burgess Evans and she was allowed to go pending good behavior. Ruth Orndolph has been before the Burgess on numerous occasions. She was committed for 48 hours, in the absence of the necessary $8 50. Her plight became known to several of her admirers, who came to the rescue.

Revokes Gallery License.

The license of George Maitz for a shooting gallery in West Newton has been revoked because the citizens feared he might set his place on fire and endanger the entire town.

Branch Up Cheat.

It is reported the B & O. will build a line up the Cheat to Beaver's Hole for transporting material needed in constructing the big dam planned by the Kuhn interests.

PENSIONERS ARE GIVEN THOUSANDS

Steel Corporation Announces Its First Annual Report.

FRICK EMPLOYES BENEFITTED

They Receive Over $37,000—Beneficiaries Number 1,606, 565 Being Added During 1911—Average Age of Retirement 66 Years.

The first annual report of the United States Steel and Carnegie Pension Fund was made public today showing disbursements of $281,157.37 among the employes of the United States Steel Corporation and its subsidiary corporations. Of this amount, $37,592.73 was paid to pensioned employes of the H. C. Frick Coke Company. Only two corporations received greater amounts, the American Steel & Wire and the Carnegie Steel companies.

On January 1, 1911, there were 1,152 active beneficiaries. During the year 565 were added and 11 discontinued, leaving 1,606 continued beyond December 31, 1911.

For the cases added during 1911, the average age was 66.66 years; pension of $20 75 per month.

Twenty-one companies participate in the benefits of the pension fund, which was inaugurated a year ago. The amount paid out for each company was as follows.

American Bridge Company, $10,107 21, American Sheet & Tin Plate Company, $11,302.39; American Steel & Wire Company, $86,526 78; Newburgh & South Shore Railway Company, $557.10; Trenton Iron Company, $1,837; Carnegie Steel Company, $81,505.65. Bessemer & Lake Erie Railway Company, $2,120.90; H. C. Frick Coke Company, $37,592 73. Hostetter-Connellsville Coke Company, $346 80; Keystone Bridge Works, $5938.20; Oliver Iron Mining Company, $6,936.22; Union Railroad Company, $189 60; Union Supply Company, $26; Duluth & Iron Range Railway Company, $171.20; Elgin, Joliet & Eastern Railway Company, $450.14; Illinois Steel Company, $11,245 83; Lorain Steel Company, $915.41; National Tube Company, $22,721.63, Shelby Steel Tube Company, $18; Pennsylvania & Lake Erie Dock Company, $171, Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company, $697.60

Fifty-three plants of the H. C. Frick company and the general offices are included in the disbursements of the pension fund. The greatest amount expended was at Standard works, where $3,022.60 was distributed. Valley ranks second with $2,896.75, and Davidson third with $2,353.20. The water companies' employes received $217.56 and general office employes $691.80.

The disbursements for the H C. Frick Coke Company, in detail, are as follows:

General Offices	$ 691.80
Adelaide Works	1,402.20
Alverton Works	456.20
Baggaley Works	108.00
Bessemer Works	1,019.50
Buckeye Works	1,929.60
Bullington Works	320.10
Central Works	405.60
Coalbrook Works	148 80
Continental No. 1 Works	381 00
Continental No 2 Works	31.80
Crossland Works	88 80
Davidson Works	2 353 20
Diamond Works	265.20
Edenborn Works	197 20
Everson Car Shops	725.40
Footedale Works	133.80
Hecla No. 1 Works	258.60
Hecla No. 2 Works	576.00
Hecla No. 3 Works	121.20
Henry Clay Works	826.60
Hopwood Works	188.40
Kyle Works	204 00
Lambert Works	100 20
Larimer Works	237 60
Leckrone Works	159.60
Leisenring No. 1 Works	1,390.20
Leisenring No 2 Works	381.60
Leisenring No. 3 Works	172.20
Leith Works	1,189.02
Lemont Works	1,075.30
Mammoth Works	738.60
Monastery Works	177.60
Mullin Works	312.00
Oliphant Works	196.20
Painter Works	1,038 00
Phillips Works	222 60
Redstone Works	1,170 60
Rist Works	1 067.20
South West No 1 Works	1,856 00
South West No 2 Works	388 40
South West No 3 Works	639.90
South West No. 4 Works	645.60
Standard Works	3,022.60
Sterling Works	600.60
Summit Works	639.60
Tip Top Works	273.00
Trotter Works	1,395.80
United Works	405.50
Valley Works	2,896.75
Water Companies	217.56
White Works	1,275.60
Youghiogheny Works	334.80
Youngstown Works	355.20
Total	$37,592 73

The Hostetter-Connellsville Coke Company received the following

Hostetter Works	$ 112 80
Whitney Works	204.00
Total	$ 316.80

Pensioners in this section benefitted, other than those employed by the H. C. Frick Coke Company, were the men employed by the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company. Fer Humbert works at South Connellsville, $266.10 was paid out. At Scottdale No. 1 mill men received $512.55 and Old Meadow $39 95.

SOCIETY.

Bridge on Saturday.

Vases of pink carnations and white hyacinths formed the attractive floral decorations at a charming card party at which Mrs. H. P. Snyder and Miss Jean R. Snyder were joint hostesses Saturday afternoon at their home on East Fairview avenue. The affair was the last of a series of parties given by the hostesses.

Eight tables were called into play for bridge, and five hundred, the games played. The prizes awarded at each table were won by Mrs. Leroy Guibord, Mrs. H. C. Norton, Mrs. T. H. White, Mrs. T. B. Donnelly, Mrs. H. F. Atkinson, Miss Ella Skiff, Miss Blanche Madigan and Miss Mary Lou Dull. A well appointed luncheon was served at the close of the games. Mrs. Corinne VanKirk Borland of McKeesport was an out of town guest.

Five Hundred Party.

Mrs. John Illey entertained at five hundred at her home in Scottdale on Saturday evening. Three tables were brought into play. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. William Showman of town were the out of town guests.

Meeting Postponed.

The regular meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Card Club which was to have been held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Bailey on Isabella road, has been postponed until Friday afternoon, February 9, at which time the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. C. Hoffman on South Pittsburg street. The meeting was postponed on account of Mrs. Bailey being called to Nova Scotia by the serious illness of her mother-in-law, Mrs. James Bailey.

Bible Class Meets.

The organized Junior Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. W. Hart on Morrell avenue and planned work for the ensuing year. Mrs. J. W. Suder is teacher of the class and Miss Elizabeth Leisenring president. The class was recently organized and will meet monthly.

Sunday School Class Meets.

Miss Nellie Jaynes entertained the members of the Sunday school class of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which she is a member, Saturday afternoon at her home on South Eighth street, Greenwood. The meeting opened with a short business session followed by a social hour and refreshments. Miss Elizabeth Burkholder is teacher of the class.

IN THE CHURCHES

Special Services in Many of Places of Worship Sunday.

Two large congregations heard Rev. Dr. L. D. Wickersham deliver eloquent sermons yesterday morning and last evening at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Dr. Wickersham is a member of the Des Moines conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His evening address was of especial interest to men.

Prof. John Harrington Cox of the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, W. Va., occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist Church yesterday morning and last evening.

Rev. J. T. Allen of Beaver Falls lectured last evening in the Christian Church on the "Jewish Tabernacles," and displayed models of the articles used in the tabernacle of worship. The lecture was heard by a large and interested congregation.

Yesterday afternoon Rev. Mrs. Nellie H. Showman delivered an address in the United Brethren Church to women only. The meeting opened with a song service conducted by L. V. Hoover. Rev. A. L. Wilson and Mr. Hoover rendered selections. Rev. Mrs. Showman's address lasted about 30 minutes.

Rev. George Dietz, pastor of the German Lutheran Church, conducted German services yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's German Lutheran Church at Scottdale.

SAVED DAUGHTER'S LIFE

This Father Refused to Let His Daughter Die.

Here is a story with a moral that many parents might take to heart:

"My daughter was very pale, nervous, thin, and suffered with severe pain in her back, so that we took her out of school. Her flesh became blue and she could not retain her urine. I spent over $100 for medicines, but she grew worse. Finally I bought a bottle of Thompson's Barosma and she began to grow better right away. Five bottles of Thompson's Barosma made a complete cure, and today she is a perfectly healthy girl. Thompson's Barosma saved her life, for she was failing so fast that death was not far off."—Frank D. Meeder, Pleasantville, Pa.

If you are troubled with backache, sideache, weakness in the back, or any liver or kidney trouble, then it's time for Thompson's Barosma.

Graham & Co., of Connellsville, and S. A. Lowe & Co., of Scottdale sell Thompson's Barosma in two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00, and he guarantees it to cure Bright's disease, high colored urine, bed-wetting, and all other kidney and liver disease. It will make anyone vigorous in a few weeks, because it is a great tonic and maker of rich red blood. All druggists.

LOST HIS HAT.

Officer McDonald Had It Smashed by Bellicose Negro.

For one policeman's helmet, badly crushed, $2.75.

This is the bill that has been entered against Arthur Deane, a West Side negro, by Officer Thomas McDonald. Deane was drunk Saturday night and in a fighting mood. When McDonald sought to arrest him he gave resistance and in the melee that followed, the negro managed to send a deadly right hook to Tom's helmet, smashing it.

The prisoner was brought to the lockup and he and his friends managed to scrape together $2.50 for the helmet. He was committed.

Had to Enlarge.

So crowded was the Methodist Protestant church last night, that it was necessary to open the Sunday school room.

MRS. MARGARET LAUGHREY

Well Known Dunbar Woman Succumbs to Paralytic Stroke.

Mrs. Margaret McDowell Laughrey, an aged and respected resident of Dunbar died on Sunday morning at her late home on the Furnace road after suffering a stroke on Thursday night. About five years ago Mrs. Laughrey suffered a bad stroke but regained her health until about 15 months ago when her health began failing. Mrs. Laughrey was the daughter of the late Robert and Margaret McDowell of this place, she having always resided in Dunbar. Mrs. Laughrey was 75 years old on last Tuesday. Mrs. Laughrey was married 55 years ago to Adam Laughrey who was killed 40 years ago on the tramroad which was used in those days for hauling logs. Mrs. Laughrey was the last member of the old McDowell family.

Mrs. Laughrey was a member of the Methodist Protestant church, having united with the church when a young girl. She was a woman of a good, true Christian character, a woman always ready to assist the needy, assisting the sick at all times, forgetting her own needs, but always ready to administer to the sick. Mrs. Laughrey is survived by the following children: Adam and Mrs. Capitole Gribble at home; Andrew of Oberlin, O., and John of Dunbar. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home at the Furnace, services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. T. Milton Gladden, assisted by Rev. D. E. Minerd.

MRS. LOUISA BISHOP LAID TO REST IN HILL GROVE

The Funeral Sunday Was Largely Attended, Many Coming from Out of Town.

Impressive services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian church over the remains of the late Mrs. Louisa Bishop, Rev. J. P. Allison, the pastor officiating. The funeral was one of the largest held here in recent years, the church being filled with friends and relatives of the deceased. The floral offerings were numerous and handsome.

The pallbearers were W. A. Bishop, A. W. Bishop, C. H. Bishop, C. F. Bishop, Walter Bishop and Grant Myers. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Those attending the funeral from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crossland, Durl Crossland, Miss Anna Crossland, Mrs. Ella Craft, Mrs. Ella Dixon, Mrs. Martha Parkhill, Mrs. Minnie Barber, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Darby, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Darby, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meyer, Miss Frances Meehan, Ewing Corley, George Brown, Miss Sadie Stafford of Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. John Crossland, Lemont; Mrs. Margaret Mack, Pittsburg; Mrs. Edna Downing and daughter, Henrietta, Miss Ruth Luckey, Clarence and Jacob Luckey, Dawson; George Copeland, Scottdale; Miss Marian and Miss Elizabeth Fieldson, Dickerson Run.

SCHROYER FUNERAL

Son of Register of Wills Laid to Rest This Morning.

Rev. Baum, pastor of the Cochran Memorial Methodist Episcopal church at Dawson, officiated at the funeral of the late Lloyd Schroyer which took place this morning at 10 o'clock from his late home at Dawson. The services were impressive and were attended by many friends and relatives of the deceased. The floral tributes were very handsome.

A quartet composed of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Bell, Mrs. James S. Laughrey and Attorney Charles Rush, rendered several very beautiful and appropriate selections. Interment in Cochran cemetery. Among the out of town persons at the services were Mrs. Harry Dunn, Miss Phoebe Dunn of Connellsville, Sheriff P. A. Johns, Ashe Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William McClelland and Attorney Charles Rush of Uniontown.

THE PALLBEARERS

Who Officiated Saturday at Funeral of William Bradley.

Railroad men from different parts of the Pittsburg and Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad were present at the funeral of the late William Bradley, which took place Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence on South Pittsburg street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Allison, pastor of the Christian church, of which the deceased was a member.

The following Masons served as pallbearers: George Orbin and C. B. Lane of Pittsburg, Captain J. R. Porter, W. E. Wardley, W. O. Schoonover and W. E. West.

HANTMAN IS DEAD.

He Opened the First Moving Picture Show in Connellsville.

Joseph Hantman died at his Pittsburg home last week. He was 54 years of age. He will be remembered as the man who opened the first moving picture theatre in Connellsville. Hantman conducted Magic Land, which occupied the ground now occupied by the new McClenahan building. It was destroyed by fire in 1903.

Mr. Hantman was a "live wire" in the moving picture field. The pioneer of the "wiggle pictures" here, he more than held his own against subsequent competition.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Wm. Bradley and family desire to thank those who so kindly assisted them in their recent bereavement caused by the death of their husband and father. They also desire to thank those who sent floral tributes.

Richard Allen Dead.

Richard Allen, late of Oliphant Furnace, died yesterday morning of Bright's disease at the home of Mrs. Warren Herrington at Brownsville. He was a member of the Odd Fellows at Brownfield.

Called to Nova Scotia.

Mrs. W. J. Bailey will leave tonight for Nova Scotia, where she was called by the serious illness of Dr. Bailey's mother, Mrs. James G. Bailey.

GOOD JUDGMENT SUGGESTS—
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

The Social Calendar.

MONDAY.—The Bachelor Girls Club will give a leap year dance in Markell hall.

TUESDAY.—Miss Anna Tippman will entertain the C. A. P. Club at her home on South Pittsburg street.

WEDNESDAY.—Miss Mary Dick will entertain at a tea at her home on South Pittsburg street.—A dance and euchre will be held in the Armory by the Connellsville lodge of Eagles.

THURSDAY.—Mrs. Carl S. Horner will entertain the Thursday Musicale at her home on Green street.

FRIDAY.—Mrs. E. K. Dick will entertain at bridge at her home on South Pittsburg street.—A leap year dance will be held in Markell hall by the High School girls.

CHURCHES AND CLUBS.

MONDAY.—The Woman's Culture Club is being entertained this afternoon by Mrs. J. A. Lyon at her home on East Main street.

TUESDAY.—The Junior Girls' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Hirst on Blackstone street, in East Park addition.—The regular business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in the evening at the home of Mrs. John Franks on Cottage avenue.

WEDNESDAY.—The G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. will meet in Odd Fellows' hall.—The L. C. B. A. will meet in the basement of the Immaculate Conception church.—The Ladies Circle No. 109 to the G. A. R., will meet in Odd Fellows hall.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the A. O. H. will meet in the basement of the Immaculate Conception Church.—The Pythian Sisters will meet in Markell hall.—The J. O. O. Society of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet in the evening at the home of Miss Ethel Buckingham on West Apple street.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be entertained at a ten cent tea in the afternoon by Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman and Mrs. W. A. Bishop at the Zimmerman residence on East Fairview avenue.—The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. B. O. Clabaugh on Chestnut street.

FRIDAY.—The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church from 1 until 5 o'clock.—The regular meeting of the Leisenrian Literary Society of the Dunbar township High School will be held in the High School auditorium at Leisenring No. 1.

SEAL OF SILENCE PLACED UPON REV. W. D. M'FARLAND

His Attorney Warns Him Not to Talk. He May Return to Tennessee Before Trial Starts February 6.

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 22.—While plans are being devised for his defense, Rev. W. D. McFarland, the aged United Presbyterian minister, indicted on the charge of causing the death of his former secretary, Elsie D. Coe, today is hidden away at the home of his friends. District Attorney Blakeley today set Tuesday, February 6, as the date for the trial of the accused parson. Homer L. Castle, who has been appointed chief counsel for the accused minister, today said: "I have set a lock on Dr. McFarland's mouth."

Castle intimated that the white haired minister may return to Cedar Creek, Tenn., where his wife is lying ill. Dr. McFarland signed a $4,000 bond furnished by friends Saturday night and is free to return home if he wishes.

The invalid mother is still ignorant of the real cause of her daughter's death.

At the weekly meeting of the United Presbyterian Ministerial Association, a resolution was unanimously adopted voicing the minister's complete innocence.

CIVIL COURT.

For Third Week Opened at Uniontown This Morning.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 22.—The third week of civil court opened this morning with both judges on the bench. The first case taken up was that of E. U. Hetzel against Andy Kobala for $200. Kobala alleges he has paid the claim.

The case of Vendel Sniscisky against Andy Franko and Paul Waska was started. The plaintiff seeks to recover $240 alleged to be due on property in Hungary purchased by the defendants.

School Kids Scout.

The pupils of Room No. 5, of the South Side school formed a scouting party to Jackson's cave, a distance of four miles, Saturday. They were chaperoned by their teacher, Miss Lucretia McCary. On their arrival at their destination a fire was built, potatoes were roasted, eggs were fried and sassafras tea was made. The trip was the first of a series of scouting parties to be taken frequently on Saturday afternoons during the school term. The primary object is to awaken interest in the study of nature as well as to secure the benefits of the open air.

Truants Are Fined.

Squire George B. Graham of Dunbar township assessed a fine of $2 and costs upon George Klipel, John Smith, John Mangole and Louis Ross, Franklin township residents whose children "played hook." Township Principal J. G. Robinson was prosecutor.

President Lynch Host.

President Thomas Lynch of the H. C. Frick Coke Company entertained 102 superintendents and heads of departments at a dinner at the Greensburg Country Club Saturday evening. A special car was run from Uniontown.

Visited The Courier.

Harvey Nedrow and Henry Adams, well known citizens of Indian Head, were visitors at The Courier this morning. They have been selected for jury duty this week and were on their way to the county seat.

Rev. Dodds Assists.

Rev. D. D. Dodds of Pittsburg will assist Rev. B. Frank White, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, in conducting meetings each evening of this week.

Visits State Fair.

Professor Belu B. Smith, science teacher in the local High School, was in Pittsburg attending the Keystone State Fair on Saturday afternoon.

ESSER OFF TO BROWNSVILLE; BLIGHT IS REPORTED THERE

Experts to Return Here in About Three Days to Resume His Investigations About This Section.

Forestry Expert J. K. Esser sent here to investigate the chestnut blight left this morning for Brownsville. Reports from that place state that there are evidences of the blight and Mr. Esser will investigate. He will be gone about three days when he will again take up the work here. If evidences of the blight are found at Brownsville it is probable that another expert will be sent west from the State Commission's office in Philadelphia.

Mr. Esser has been conducting a rigid examination here all last week. As yet he has found no cases where the blight is especially noticeable. The case of the chestnut trees back of the Hill Grove cemetery has been thoroughly gone over and no traces of the blight found at this time. The case was investigated into by another State inspector. Most of Mr. Esser's investigations will be centered about the Indian Creek Valley where he will work to meet the inspector working this way from Somerset.

FAYETTE STREET KICK.

Too Much Ice on the Hill, Say Pinnacle Residents.

Following the grievance of residents of upper Fairview avenue come the complaints of people who have to descend the Fayette street hill. They say that beginning at Cottage avenue the hill is a glare of ice. The cause is the same as that of Fairview avenue, the freezing of spring water which has flooded the street with the recent thaw.

Ascent at night is especially dangerous, say the residents, and they are wondering that there has been no one injured before this. It is probable that a petition will be presented to council at its next meeting.

BUTCHER ALLEY AGAIN.

This Time Engineers Are Working on the New Boundaries.

Borough Engineer J. B. Hogg had a corps of men working on the Butcher alley matter which received publicity at a recent Council meeting. On Saturday all the preliminary locations were made and the stakes will be laid this week.

The appellation of Butcher's alley is an old one. Recently the postoffice Department named it Seneca lane and now Thomas R. Jones is circulating a petition for "Pleasview place."

How the Pennies Increase.

WILLIAM E. Brand of Kewanee, Ills., walked into the bank with two pails full of pennies for deposit. Two years ago he decided to save Lincoln pennies and the day he took the money to the bank he had 6,462 of them. It is interesting to see by actual experiment how fast small savings accrue. The Citizens National Bank of Connellsville accepts savings deposits in any amount from $1.00 upwards.

Vaudeville at Leisenring.

In connection with the bazaar to be held at Leisenring No. 1 on the 15th, 16th and 17th of February under the auspices of the congregation of St. Vincent DePaul's church, a vaudeville performance by a company of Pittsburg players will be introduced on each evening. Dancing will follow.

Andy Elleck Slipped.

Andy Elleck, aged 73 years, was picked up by the police on Water street this morning. The old man had slipped on the sidewalk and sprained his ankle badly. He was lying in a helpless condition in the gutter when found. He was taken to the Cottage State hospital.

Bargains in Trimmed Hats.

One lot of $3.00 hats at $1.00. One lot of $3.50 to $5.00 hats at $2.00. All hats ranging in price from $5.00 up will be sold at less than half former price. McFarland's, West Apple street.

PERSONAL

Michael Darr, a well known B. & O. engineer and a former Connellsville resident, was here Saturday afternoon attending the funeral of the late William Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lucas of Johnstown over Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Mitchell returned home this morning from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Probst of Fairmont.

Miss Gertrude Munk was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Renner of Scottdale yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Fairchilds of Scottdale, was a Connellsville visitor Saturday.

Miss Mabel Sawhill of Braddock, is the guest of the Misses Bridegum of Washington avenue.

William Bisel, a student at the Western University of Pittsburg, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Florence Harry, a student at St. Joseph's Academy at Seton Hill, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Harry.

Miss Vietta Michael of Greenwood, left this morning for a visit with friends in Uniontown and Oliphant. Miss Michael is among the students who are exempt from examinations.

Mrs. W. D. Gilchrist is the guest of friends at Chiopyle today.

Bargains in trimmed and untrimmed hats at McFarland's.

Mrs. B. W. Jones of Chicago, returned home Saturday, after a several weeks' visit with relatives here.

Miss Jean R. Snyder is visiting in Pittsburg today.

W. J. Baer spent Sunday with friends at Meyersdale.

T. V. Donegan and Ray S. Ryan were in McKeesport yesterday afternoon attending the funeral of the late Leo O'Brien.

Mrs. Frank Kincell and Mrs. George Jaynes of Greenwood, are at Scottdale this afternoon attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Virlinda Jarrett.

Miss Margaret Shook of Pittsburg, was in town this morning on her return home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jarrett of Scottdale.

Clarence Hoop of Beaver Falls, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop of Greenwood.

Mrs. Joseph Page is visiting friends in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. Corinne VanKirk Borland of McKeesport, has returned home, after a visit with Mrs. H. P. Snyder.

Miss Lena Hetzel took in the basketball game at Mt. Pleasant Saturday night.

Mrs. A. F. Smith and family of New York, returned home Saturday afternoon, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clarke.

The former students at the Douglass Business College will meet Thursday evening at 7.30 at the school to arrange for a dance to be given in honor of the Uniontown students. The date arranged will probably be February 9.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Murphy of West Newton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cooper from Friday until Sunday.

Special at Lyric this week, Ladies' Orchestra. Showing extra good pictures. Don't miss it. Admission 5c.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

CONNELLSVILLE GIVEN BERTH IN NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE

Uniontown Passed Up Because There Is No Park—Meeting in Pittsburg Tomorrow Afternoon.

According to a story from East Liverpool, Connellsville is included in the new Ohio and Pennsylvania league, but Uniontown is left out in the cold. This is because there is no park at the county seat. The other towns mentioned are East Liverpool, Steubenville, New Castle, Sharon, Butler, McKeesport and Fairmont.

The franchise will be formally awarded at the meeting at the Hotel Henry in Pittsburg tomorrow afternoon. It is doubtful whether Connellsville will be represented. Plenty of people here want baseball but none has sufficient enthusiasm to take the initiative.

MID-WINTER TOURS.

Now is the Most Delightful Time to Travel in the South.

To get away from this cold, wet climate and dwell under sunny skies in the Southland—isn't that a trip worth while? Drop into the Foreign Department of the First National Bank of Connellsville and ask about personally conducted tours to Mexico, the Panama Canal and New Orleans. The expense of such a trip is moderate and covers everything.

If you are going abroad next summer, better make your steamship reservation, NOW. The First National is agent for all steamship lines. Cabins and berths reserved—Letters of Credit and Travelers' Cheques issued and passports procured. All languages spoken. Money orders on all parts of the world.

PUSH RIVER WORK.

Congressman Dalzell Wants Yough Improvement Assured.

Congressman John Dalzell has introduced a bill into the House placing the improvement of the Youghiogheny river under the continuous contract system so that work may be prosecuted as rapidly as the engineers can take care of it without having to wait for an appropriation in the rivers and harbors bill.

Mr. Dalzell has pledged himself to support the Yough river improvement and this is a step in that direction.

Captain Russell Home.

Captain B. S. Russell of the B. & O. police force who accompanied the B. & O. pay car on its route over the Connellsville division, arrived home on Saturday.

Mrs. Graft Coming Home.

Mrs. Vannie Graft, who was operated on several weeks ago at St. John's hospital, Pittsburg, will return home tomorrow evening.

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106 W. MAIN STREET, CONNELLSVILLE.

Men's Underwear and Furnishings Greatly Reduced

Men's Heavy Jeager and Black Fleece Lined Underwear, regular price 60c, sale price only 42c
Men's Wool Underwear, natural grey wool, 79c value, sale price 59c
Men's Wool Underwear, grey, scarlet, camel's hair, regular $1.00 values, sale price 75c
One lot Men's 25c Neckwear, sale price 19c
One lot of Men's 50c Neckwear, sale price 39c
Some Men's 50c Work Shirts ..45c
Men's Black Sateen Shirts 42c
Men's 48c Work Shirts, in plain black and colors, sale price ..N36c
Boys' 25c Waists now 21c
Men's Light Shirts with cuffs attached, sizes 14, 14½, 15, 15½, sale price 36c
Men's Ecru, Brown and Blue Ribbed Fleece Lined Underwear, 50c kind, sale price 42c
Men's Wool Half Hose, plain, dark blue, mixed, 15c values, sale price 11c
MEN'S HALF HOSE REDUCED
Heavy red and brown mixed, som plain colors in cotton, 25c values, sale price 19c
One lot of Boys' Leather Gauntlets, 50c now 39c
Boys' and Youths' Gauntlet Fur Gloves, $1 values, at 69c
Boys' 25c Caps with fur lined ear lugs, at 19c
Men's 50c Caps with ear lugs, sale price 39c
Men's "Would-Be-Wool" Socks, 10c, 3 for 25c
Men's Leather Tip Canvas Gloves, 15c values, at 10c, 3 for 25c

Outings and Blankets Reduced

COMFORTS at REDUCED PRICES
75c Comforts, sale price 59c
$1.00 Comforts, sale price 80c
$1.25 Comforts, sale price $1.00
$1.50 Comforts, sale price $1.20
COTTON BLANKETS 20% OFF
75c Blankets, sale price 60c
79c Blankets, sale price 64c
$1.00 Blankets, sale price 80c
$1.25 Blankets, sale price $1.00
$1.35 Blankets, sale price $1.08
$1.50 Blankets, sale price $1.20
BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS
25c Towels, sale price 22c
35c Towels, sale price 29c
Unbleached Turkish Towels
25c Towels, sale price 19c
OUTING FLANNEL SPECIALS
One lot of light colored outing, sale price 5c
A lot of 7½c dark outing at 6½c.
Splendid values in light Outing, regular 10c quality, sale price . 8½c
12½c quality, sale price 10c
WOOL BLANKETS REDUCED
$4.50 Blankets, sale price $3.38
$5.50 Blankets, sale price $4.13
WOOL NAP BLANKETS
$2.50 values, sale price $1.88
BABY BLANKETS
45c Blankets, sale price 40c
75c Blankets, sale price 60c
BABY BLANKETS
with blue and pink borders, at 20c and 25c

It is Cleaning Up Time, After the Rush

The Union Supply Company stores have in effect now, active clearance sales. After the great holiday rush, we find many odds and ends throughout the entire stock; in every department. We also have many strong lines that are practically unbroken. In a word, we have too much stock, and our usual method of reducing stocks, is now in effect. It is a clearance sale, a cleaning out, a closing out of all odds and ends or surplus stock. It is a great time in the year to get bargains. The women's and girls' departments have many novelties; attractive coats, suits, hats and other winter garments; many of them marked down to one-half their actual value. If you have not yet bought your winter supply, now is the right time.

The Closing Out Bargains in the Shoe Department cover the entire stock of men's, women's, boys' and girls' shoes; all sizes. In large stocks like we carry, there naturally is an accumulation of odds and ends and it becomes necessary twice a year to clean them out. The most effective way we find to do this, is to cut the prices. That has been done; the goods are all going out at great reductions in price. In addition to the odds and ends, we also have some lines that are practically unbroken. This is due largely to the slackness in business, but we must sell them; must get the stocks reduced, and the most effective way, is again, to reduce the price. We guarantee every pair of Shoes we sell. If not entirely satisfactory, we will replace them or refund your money.

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FOR THE WORKINGMAN SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE LOTS ARE BARGAINS.

The News of Nearby Towns.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, Jan. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Scott Haggard, left on Saturday for their home at California, Pa.

Courtney & Connell announces to the people of Dunbar and vicinity that they will open their new meat market at the old Heurich stand on Wednesday, January 24. None but the choicest of meats will be handled and prices will be right.

Mrs. C. E. Wilson was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Guller of Connellsville was here visiting friends on Sunday.

George Wilson, who has been staying with friends at Butte, Mont., and Milwaukee, Wis., for the past year, returned home on Friday.

Antonio Bufano, proprietor of the Dunbar House, was a business caller in Uniontown.

Miss Geneva Landman, who has been visiting friends at Uniontown, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Ray Hertzog of Brownsville is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Isaac Smith, in the township.

Postmaster W. C. Smith was a business caller in Uniontown.

A. M. Hustead of East Millsboro, Pa., was here on Saturday looking after some business matters.

Samuel Gray of Masontown was here on Saturday visiting friends.

Miss Edyth McClain, who has been visiting friends at Uniontown, has returned home.

Miss Lucy Scott was the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Miss Della McFarland was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Miss Martha Greer spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Greer, at Smock.

Howard McSurney of Vanderbilt was here on Saturday looking after some business matters.

Miss Nettie Burns of Lemont was here on Saturday the guest of friends.

Miss Sara Preece was the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Richard McGee, Jr., was the guest of friends in South Connellsville.

E. F. DeWitt of Scottdale was here looking after some business matters.

Joseph McGinley of Millvale, Pa., is here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Sorson on Spears Hill.

Miss Anna Farr was the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Miss Maud McGee was the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. Kate Tabler of Colloville, Westmoreland county, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Sorson, on Speer's Hill.

Miss Alfretta Hardy left Friday for Fairchance, where she will be the guest of friends and relatives for several days.

James McGinley of MILCMFWYPB

The Dunbarthian division of the Columbian Literary Society of the Dunbar High School, met on Friday afternoon in Room No. 7. After the installation of officers the regular routine work was gone over. A fine literary and musical program was rendered. Several fine recitations were delivered by members of the society and the original story of Warne Parker was exceptionally good. The queries were in charge of Harold Carroll and were all on current events. The query department, since being adopted by the society, has proved a great benefit to the school. The debate, "Resolved, that all goods imported into the United States should be taxed and that no goods should be exempt from tax," was decided in favor of the negative. The debaters were, affirmative, Ruth Nemon, Irene Karns; negative, Jane Woods and Naomi Ways. The combined societies then held their joint business session and the contestants for the annual contest, which will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, were selected. They are: Recitation, Dunbarthian, Rene Carroll; Columbian, Dane McGill. Essay, Dunbarthian, Maude McGee; Columbian, Nelle Scott. Oration, Dunbarthian, Lollie Wills; Columbian, Har-Naomi Ways. Francis Tarr.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, Jan. 22.—P. G. Smith was a business caller at Vanderbilt Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Adeline Phillips of Connellsville was here yesterday visiting her mother, Mrs. Catherine Mickey.

Mrs. Conrad Snyder was calling on friends at Connellsville Saturday.

Misses Lulu Oglevee and Nell Danley were attending a Saturday afternoon club at Uniontown Saturday.

Misses Bessie and Estelle Dunlap were calling on Vanderbilt friends on Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Smith and daughter, Miss Gertrude, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday evening.

Miss Marie Beatty was calling on Dawson friends yesterday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Danley was calling on Connellsville friends Saturday.

James Beatty was transacting business in Vanderbilt yesterday.

Joseph A. Munson of Johnstown has returned to his home after a few days visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Andrew Lint of Raineytown was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Harford, who have been visiting friends here for the past ten days, have returned to their home at Bruceton, W. Va.

Misses Lizzie and Estelle McManimas were calling on Connellsville friends yesterday.

Miss Lillian Newton was calling on Vanderbilt friends last evening.

P. J. McAndrews was a Vanderbilt business caller Saturday evening.

J. C. Jacobs was transacting business at Uniontown Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunlap were shopping and calling on Connellsville friends last evening.

Conrad Snyder was transacting business at Connellsville Saturday.

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Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 20.—Mrs. John Sutton received a message yesterday apprising her of the death of her son, Albert, at Methhaska, Alaska, on Saturday, the 13th inst. The deceased was married and about 50 years of age. The widow and two sons, aged 14 and 16 years survive. His wife was with him in Alaska. The two boys were in Washington State going to school.

Andrew S. Morrison has sold a piece of land in Nicholson township containing 20 acres to E. M. Smith of the same township; consideration $1,600.

The Filbert public school at Filbert, have cards out for a birthday social to be held there this evening from 7 to 10 o'clock.

William Wagle and wife were borough shoppers on Friday.

W. M. Mayfield did jury duty this past week.

George Frankenberry and daughter from out R. D. No. 8, were borough shoppers on Friday.

Reuben McCann of Nicholson township No. 2, was a borough visitor on Friday.

The zero temperature of the past week has caused a shortage in egg production our poultry men say. The production is cut in half. Many of the fowls got their combs frosted. Hens won't lay that have frozen combs.

Clyde Jones, wife and baby, Anna Boile, of Crystal, are the guests of R. A. Rankin and family.

The temperature dropped to near the zero mark. Last night it was sufficiently low to furnish material for Jack Frost to display his artistic skill on windows about town. The glass front of the Tri-State telephone office presented a fine display of landscape painting this morning. The mountain peaks and bosky dells displayed thereon far excelled the feeble attempts of human skill to ever imitate.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, Jan. 20.—Mrs. H. T. Holt and son Daniel of Commercial street, spent Friday visiting with relatives and shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. S. B. Fitzpatrick spent Friday shoping and visiting with Connellsville friends.

A merry sleighing party from Whig Corner, tok in the show in town Friday evening.

William Glotfelty was transacting business matters in Connellsville yesterday.

Sherman Nicholson, who has for the past few days been visiting at his home here returned to his work in Uniontown Thursday.

Miss Nancy Linderman, school teacher at Whig Corner, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Victoria.

H. A. Bender, traveling salesman, was calling on the merchants of town Friday.

Miss Carrie Smiley of Bear Run, was shopping in town yesterday.

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Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 22.—Miss Clara Coughenour was in Connellsville shopping on Saturday.

T. S. Butler of Henry Clay township, was in town shopping on Saturday.

Miss Grace Lenhart has returned home, after having spent several weeks the guest of friends in Scottdale, Greensburg and Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Christy and two children of Brushton, were guests of friends in town on Saturday.

Earle McClintock of Ursina, was in town on business Saturday.

Miss Belle Ream, teacher of the primary room in Somerfield, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Ream.

Mrs. Clayton Show of Johnson's Chapel, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marshall Bird of Water street on Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Baugh of Cove, Md., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. D. Hileman of the West Side.

Miss Jennie Sellers of Ursina, was calling on friends in town on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce Trudle and daughter, Grace, of Connellsville, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown, Friday and Saturday.

Misses Edith and Zetta Show were in Connellsville shopping on Saturday.

Claude Davis of Ursina, was a business called in town on Saturday.

Mrs. A. A. Ringer of Horse Shoe, spent Saturday and Sunday with her son and daughter, Frank and Daisy Kurtz in town.

Mrs. John Reiber and daughter Blanche, of Henry Clay township, were in town shopping on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Neighborgal and son, Claude, were visitors in Pittsburg Friday and Saturday.

Bill Bender of Listonburg, was in town on business Saturday.

T. L. Butler and Chas. Burnworth of Johnson's Chapel, were in town on business Saturday.

Wm. Clouse of McKeesport, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Clouse.

Mrs. Anna Belle Burnworth and granddaughter, Noma Burnworth, of Johnson't Chapel, were the guests of friends in town on Saturday.

Robert McNeil of Jersey, was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. John Hawke was the guest of friends in Connellsville and Scottdale from Thursday until Saturday.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, Pa., Jan. 22.—The Rockwood school report for the fourth month, is the largest in the history of the Rockwood school, and the Senior class captured the honors for attendance. The report in detail follows:

First primary, Mrs. B. T. Frazee, teacher; enrollment 54, average attendance 45; present every day, 20.

Second primary, Mary E. Dull, teacher; enrollment 39, average attendance 37, present every day 29.

Third primary, Aileen Colborn, teacher; enrollment 48, average attendance 41; present every day 16.

Intermediate, Ella McVicker, teacher; enrollment 44, average attendance 41; present every day 15.

First Grammar, Lillian Pritts, teacher; enrollment 45, average attendance 41, present every day 4.

Second Grammar, Pearle Hay, teacher; enrollment 35; average 30, present every day 11.

High School, Profs. B. T. Frazee and D. F. Enoch, teachers, Freshmen, enrollment 18, average attendance 17; present every day 13. Juniors enrollment 11, average attendance 10, present every day 13. Seniors, enrollment 10, average attendance 10, per cent. 100, present every day 10.

Total enrollment of the school 304, average attendance 272, per cent. of attendance 94; present every day 126. B. T. Frazee, Principal.

Rev. D. S. Kurtz has announced that he will hold two weeks of prayer services in the Lutheran church instead of one week which was formerly announced.

Owensdale.

OWENSDALE, Jan. 22.—Highlands Kelly is again able to be about, after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Among the Scottdale visitors Friday were Mrs. Alice Younkin, Mrs. Clarke Farmer, Mrs. David Upperman and Miss Edna Shallenberger.

Mrs. Roy Beihls of Latrobe, was visiting relatives here recently.

Miss Kate Cowan was calling at Scottdale recently.

Mrs. Frank Hall of Mt. Pleasant, was visiting friends near here on Saturday.

Misses Edna Griffith and Pearle Boyer of Mt. Pleasant, were visiting here for a short time on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. James McMann of Braddock, is visiting relatives near Broad Ford.

Clarke Howard of Meadow Mills, was attending to matters of business at Scottdale on Saturday.

Ernest Crouse of Morgan, was attending to matters of business at Connellsville on Saturday.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Jan. 22.—O. J. Howarth of Scottdale will preach in the Christian Church on Tuesday evening, January 23. This service will take the place of the regular prayer service. On Wednesday evening, Rev. M. S. Blair will preach in the Christian Church at Scottdale.

The State Highway Commissioners were through this vicinity Saturday looking over the extension of the State road.

Abe Thompson will move this week into the Albert Reynolds property.

Ray Stickel has sold his paper route to John Herrington of Donora, who took charge January 21.

The West Penn is placing the poles through town for the power line between Connellsville and Monongahela valley.

Mrs. John Lensher of Star Junction was a Sunday caller on friends in town.

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Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, Jan. 22.—The Dawson and Vanderbilt bowling teams met in battle array Thursday evening on the Vanderbilt alleys and the Dawson boys were beaten to a standstill in three straight games. The teams lined up as follows:

DAWSON.			
Bonner	79	82	86
Cochran	92	80	97
Tony	94	83	79
Kessler	85	96	68
Broyler	76	87	99
Totals	426	438	429
VANDERBILT.			
Vicovic	103	111	106
Arison	97	87	78
Bonaddy	85	79	89
McLaughlin	91	72	103
Cortes	87	93	83
Totals	463	442	459

There was some exciting times during the evening, but Vanderbilt won out with 71 pins to spare. Vicovic ran high score for Vanderbilt and Cochran for Dawson.

Miss Della Mickey of East Liberty was calling on friends here yesterday.

Dr. G. B. Roberts was a professional caller at Dickerson Run yesterday.

J. T. Beatty was a recent business caller at Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlevy and family of Beaver are the guests of friends here for a few days.

Glen Coe, a P. & L. E. fireman, who was furloughed nine months ago, has been called into action again and is making an occasional high ball.

Mrs. Samuel Addis was calling on Dickerson Run friends Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Snyder and children of East Liberty were here yesterday visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Addis.

Clarence McFarland was calling on Dunbar friends a few evenings ago.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, Jan. 22.—Leb Morrison of Sugar Loaf killed a large wild cat near his home last week. The animal weighed 20 pounds, and measured three feet, nine inches in length.

Mrs. George Stewart returned to her home near here Sunday evening after having spent the past few days visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Horton, of Connellsville.

Miss Carrie Morrison, who has for the past week been on a visit with relatives and friends at Alverton, returned to her home at Sugar Loaf Saturday.

Mrs. James C. Hall was visiting with relatives in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins and daughter, Miss Thelma, of Connellsville, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Holt of Commercial street.

T. W. Bailey of Whig Corner brought a sleighing party from the country to take in the moving pictures.

Joseph Skinner of Connellsville spent Sunday on a visit with Ohiopyle friends.

Mrs. B. A. Smith of Uniontown was the guest of Ohiopyle relatives Saturday.

Mrs. H. Gaddis of Dunbar was visiting with relatives in town Saturday.

MINERS RELEASED.

Admitted Using Impure Oil But Judge Ruppel Accepted Their Promise.

On Saturday Judge Ruppel over in Somerset county, released Andrew Golesky, Stanley Golesby, Ross Delenore and Peter Delenore from the county jail on payment of the costs of prosecution by the defendants, who were charged with violating the State mining laws on information of Richard Maize of Somerset, State Mine Inspector of the 20th Bituminous district.

The defendants pleaded guilty to using impure oil in the form of oil alleged to be explosive in open lamps, and on promising to abandon the use of the lighting fluid in question and on payment of the costs were released from custody. They are employes of the Consolidation Coal Company at Shaw mines, near Meyersdale.

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Woolen Hose at 15c, 25c and 50c the pair.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters and Jerseys from 50c to $5.00.

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THE MAN'S STORE.

U. S. Minister to Cuba Has Aroused the Enmity of General Nunez, Leader of the Veterans' Association

HAVANA, Jan. 22.—Varied opinions are held concerning the result of President Taft's warning to President Gomez and the threat of a third intervention by the United States. While there is an apparent effort to patch up differences, many observers do not believe that the peace that now prevails will be lasting. While General Emilio Nunez, the leader of the veterans, has expressed a willingness to cease the attacks on the government, other members of the veteran's association are less peaceful. There have been hints that the recall of Arthur M. Beaupre, the American minister, will be demanded for the ostensible reason that he delivered President Taft's warning directly to President Gomez instead of transmitting it through the Secretary of State. General Nunez says he detects in the threat of intervention collusion between Minister Beaupre and the government at Washington, perhaps for stock-jobbing purposes.

OFFICERS OF AUXILIARY INSTALLED AT SOMERSET

Post Commander Lincoln H. Stern Presided Over the Ceremonies.

Sons of Veterans Active.

Past Commander Lincoln H. Stern of Capt. James S. Hinchman Camp, Sons of Veterans, at a meeting the other evening at Somerset installed the new officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary No. 122 Pennsylvania Division, as follows, at the Sons of Veterans headquarters on the second floor of the Shaffer block:

President, Mrs. Emma F. Eicher; Vice President, Miss Nora Pugh; Trustees, Mrs. Minerva Carroll; Mrs. Laura E. Hunter, and Miss Annie Knee; Treasurer, Mrs. Angie E. Hunter; Chaplain, Mrs. Annie Ferner; Guide, Mrs. Marian A. Grine; Assistant Guide, Mrs. Jennie B. Huston; Inner Guard, Mrs. Margaret Ogline; Outer Guard, Mrs. Amanda Baer; Color Guards, Mrs. Cora Cohn; Mrs. Florence Buehlman; Secretary, Miss Nellie Kifer; Patriotic Instructor, Miss Carrie C. Rhoads; Pianist, Mrs. Ella Nicholson; Judge Advocate, Charles F. Cook; Delegates to Division Encampment, Reading, Pa., Miss Sarah Ella Ankeny and Mrs. Amanda Baer; Alternates, Mrs. Anna Rock and Mrs. Lucy Saylor; Delegate to National Encampment, St. Louis, Mo., Miss Nelle Kifer; alternate, Mrs. Angie E. Hunter. The auxiliary Past President are Miss Carrie C. Rhoads and Miss Sarah Ella Ankeny.

The Sons of Veterans Camp in the future will meet on Friday evenings and the auxiliary on every other Tuesday evening.

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MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 22, 1912.

The Regulation of Freight Rates.

Railway rate regulation has passed from coal and coke to ore and finished iron and steel products. The Pittsburg movement, which in its beginning was so shy that it had to be mollycoddled, has become strong and aggressive. Pittsburg manufacturers are asserting themselves. They want the full advantage of their situation and they are fighting for their natural markets torn from them by discriminatory freight rates

The railroads are contesting every inch of the ground because the authorities at Washington betray a disposition to reduce their revenues and increase their expenses. The suggestion of the railroads for increased tariffs to meet a recent increase in wages was met with the suggestion that the Interstate Commerce Commission would give it due consideration. The question is still under consideration.

In the meantime, however, the Pittsburg coal operators and the Connellsville coke producers have entered formal complaint concerning their rates, and the iron and steel people have followed this lead. They will undoubtedly gain their contentions. Discrimination is too palpable.

That being the case we wonder why the railroads continue to fight. It is evident that the whole system of freight rates, based as it has been upon the rule, "as much as the traffic will bear," must be equitably revised, and perhaps if the railroads would undertake this revision themselves its results might be acceptable to all interests even though all the revision was not downward.

Where the Documents Belong.

The construction of the High School annex has been the subject of a great deal of public dispute.

The Building Committee of the last School Board came in for some criticism, and the members of the board individually were called upon to defend themselves from the consequences of a damage suit in a large amount, due according to the statement of the plaintiff to the imperfect heating and ventilating conditions of the building.

There has been on the part of the public a disposition to exonerate the directors from any blame in this matter and to place the responsibility upon the architects where it would seem to properly belong, but the refusal of the late Building Committee to furnish the present School Board with the plans and specifications and other data concerning the High School annex will be sadly misinterpreted by the taxpayers of Connellsville. They will not be able to understand why one set of public servants sees fit to withhold valuable information from other public servants. They will interpret this refusal in one way only.

Both as a matter of right and a matter of policy the plans and specifications of the High School annex and all other documents pertaining to the contract had better be turned over to the proper custodians of the same, to wit, the present School Board

Return T. Roosevelt.

The Pittsburg Leader has declared *in clarion tones and letters hardly* red, and confessedly without his advice or consent, for Colonel Theodore Roosevelt for President.

The Pittsburg Leader is controlled by Colonel William Flinn, who has just returned from a flying visit to Colonel Roosevelt.

Colonel Dick Quay of Beaver county, known to fame as the son of the late Senator Quay, has also declared for Colonel Roosevelt.

The political situation is evidently becoming tense, especially among the Has Beens and Would Bes.

The return of T. Roosevelt is possible, but it is not probable through such influences as now appear to be his support.

Bargain Days.

This is the season of Bargain Days. It is the time when enterprising merchants are willing to more than divide their profits with purchasers Concerning this the Latrobe Bulletin aptly says.

Almost without exception, the thirty local business houses which figure in the Bargain Days express great satisfaction over the results indicating that despite the almost unprecedented weather prevailing, a considerable amount of business, more than justifying the expense and the trouble to which the merchants were put in arranging for the event, was enjoyed.

That the results would have been much larger, had the weather been more propitious, there is no reason to doubt, the extreme cold undoubtedly having operated to keep many away, who, otherwise, would have been here

Even so, however, the immediate results of the Bargain Days were such as to greatly please the merchants participating in the sales, and when, to the immediate results are added the results still to be enjoyed, the business interests of the town will be more pleased than ever.

There are results, still to be enjoyed, you know—results that will be felt next week and next month and next year. For by reason of the sale, Latrobe was advertised; men and women living miles away were given a new idea as to the bigness and the variety of its stores, as to the reasonableness of their prices, as to the accommodating disposition of their clerks, as to the warmth of their welcome

The Connellsville merchants are are alive to the importance of moving their merchandise promptly, and during the next few weeks every day will be Bargain Day in Connellsville.

The By-Product Coke Oven.

The by-product coke oven experiments at South Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and Gary, Indiana, will be followed with interest by Connellsville coke manufacturers These coke plants reverse the usual order of furnace fuel manufacture by shipping the coal from the mines to the point of consumption and coking it there.

The by-product ovens make a commercial coke and are alleged to be economical in their operation and cumulative in their valuable products, but the quality of the coke they produce is inferior to the Connellsville beehive oven coke.

It will be a long time before the beehive oven is supplanted by the by-product oven. The initial cost of the latter is so great as to put it without the reach of the small operator who will continue to develop his coal by the smaller oven and the cheaper process.

At the same time, the beehive oven is undoubtedly wasteful, and perhaps some day if Big Business buys the Smaller Operators out and establishes a Coke Combine on a large scale, the by-product oven will be taken into consideration.

Legal Publicity and Law Journals.

Greensburg has a Law Journal and the Judge of the Orphans' Court has made an order that all official publication out of his court shall be advertised in the Law Journal.

The Law Journal, it seems will circulate exclusively among the lawyers. It is even seriously argued that, while this will entail additional costs in the settling up of estates, it will be more convenient for the attorneys to read the notices in a single publication authorized to print them all.

But where do the clients come in?

If a valuable estate is to be sold how many buyers will be brought to the bidding place by an advertisement in a Law Journal circulating exclusively among the lawyers?

The place for the publication of all legal notices desired to have the utmost publicity is in the columns of the daily and weekly newspapers of the county which go into the home; if, however, it is the purpose of the lawyers to avoid publicity, the Law Journal's the thing.

Regulating the Telephones.

The citizens of Greensburg and Jeannette are going after the Bell telephone company for their discriminatory charges, and they are perhaps on the right road.

They have requested the State Railroad Commission to meet them on the ground and make thorough investigation of their complaints. The question has been raised whether the State Railway Commission has jurisdiction over any but railroad property

Governor Tener's Public Utilities bill, however, will cover all cases of this nature, and it will probably be passed at the next session of the Legislature.

The announcement that the change of officers at Mattewan insane asylum was not due to the influence of Harry Thaw was entirely superfluous. A man who hasn't enough influence to get out hasn't enough influence to dictate the management.

A Chicago man fainted during his wedding ceremony. Who ever heard of a bride fainting? And yet we call them the weaker sex.

The political game is called early this year, but it will be none the less lively.

Perhaps the most astounding thing about the new borough of South Connellsville, covering as it does the hills and valleys, gullies and ridges for miles around, it finds it necessary to appoint one individual to hold several offices.

The Democratic party can't agree on Wilson or Harper. Why don't they try Overholt or Thompson? They're all Democratic.

Politics come early this year, but the politicians will be ready for them

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South Connellsville has developed a Poo Bah. South Connellsville is big enough to raise many things.

Railroad time is valuable and sometimes profitable, even if it is not always on time.

Senator Cummins of Iowa is credited with Presidential aspirations. Greene county can't be kept down.

Fayette county's criminals do not forget their manners like the New Yorkers do Here they thank the court after he has passed sentence, there they have to be chained before they are brought in for sentence and what they say wouldn't look well in print.

Mine rescue work is more dangerous than military duty.

The foreign coke worker is coming back rapidly and numerous, and he is quite welcome.

The new vein of coal discovered in the State of Washington perhaps wasn't lost.

The Dairy and Food Commission of Pennsylvania did a large and profitable business last year.

Fairview avenue has a spring skate on.

And sometimes the girl's father forbids a young man the house, when it wasn't the house he wanted.

The theory that misery loves company accounts for some marriages.

International Diplomacy.

THE TURKEY TROT.

By Isaacs of Yukon.

YUKON, Jan. 22.—The idle rich and the unproductive lazy of this city enjoyed their first Turkey Trot dance this week The dance was a new wrinkle in society and some guess work was used in dancing out all the curves and palpitations with emphasis.

The Turkey Trot dance was invented about one year ago in the rathskellers in Harrisburg. A number of the legislators and their thinkies perfected the dance and put their stamp of approval on it in a way that has made it popular and enchanting

The Grizzly Bear hug accompanies the trot and is used for embellishment more than for the purpose of whitewashing the function All persons who have bunions, or the rheumatism make a very poor stagger at the trot and as a side-issue, the Sultan of Barnyard dance was invented in Harrisburg at the same time The Senegambians of the state capitol discovered that they could use the Sultan of Barnyard with good grace and so the new hug and dance are destined to stand through the ages

The Turkey Trot is the only dance which church people may stand without being injured It is not quite as harmful as writing ones name on a tavern license petition and taking a trot dance is no more sinful than taking a thousand copees from a landlord to secure his permit.

The modus operandi of the trot consists in the lady standing in one place and acting as a ball and socket joint while her companion flutters all around her with his right arm held high in the air. Left handed men have to do their dancing while others are taking their lung medicine The trot is very trying for old men who are short of wind.

The Sultan of Turkey sent his agent to Harrisburg to see if a modified style of the Turkey Trot could not be used in his harem with his regular oriental music The agent after taking all measurements, smiled and said that it was all right. He geared up the trot to none of the center fire oriental music and returned to the Sultan

The first work out of the trot and hug at Yukon was satisfactory. It is like playing the fiddle or stenography,—you will soon forget it if you don't work at it. Any one who can turn a grindstone, saw the horns off a cow or ring a pig will have sufficient gumption to go the Turkey Trot.

STRAY TOPICS FROM LITTLE OLD NEW YORK.

Special to The Courier.

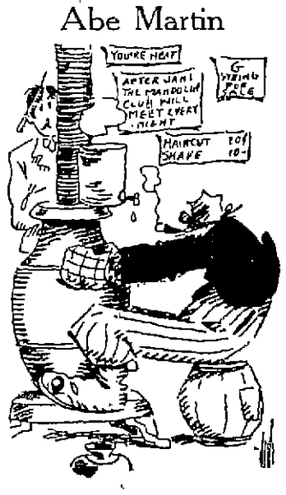
NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Statistics which the Committee on Safety has prepared show that in the year 1911 there were 197 deaths from burning in Greater New York, compared with 329 during the preceding year. This number includes 147 persons who were killed in the Triangle Shirt Waist factory fire in the Asch building on March 5. Since that tragic event energetic and persistent efforts have been made in the interest of fire prevention and safety. State and city authorities and various philanthropic organizations have been working hand in hand to relieve the hazardous conditions which exist throughout the city.

For this purpose the Committee on Safety of the City of New York was organized by public spirited citizens with the object of undertaking the difficult task of conserving the lives and health of working people, and improving the conditions of factory buildings so as to render impossible the repetition of such a disaster as occurred last March. After many months of effort a bill was drawn up which was passed by the Legislature and the bureau is now in actual operation. Although handicapped by an inadequate money appropriation the bureau is doing meterial work.

The Committee on Safety made during 1911 a preliminary investigation of 450 buildings, housing more than 1,000 factories in which more than 22,000 persons are employed. In a large number of cases the most flagrant violations of the law were found in the buildings inspected and formal complaints were made against the owners of 74 of these structures. The owners were compelled to make the required changes so as to comply with the laws. The work of the committee is to be continued with vigor during the present year.

Julius Harburger, formerly Coroner and now Sheriff of New York county, recently took a trip to Ossining, N. Y., to attend the electrocution of an Italian murderer. It was not morbid curiosity which prompted him to witness the execution but the desire to ascertain to his own satisfaction whether electrocuted criminals are really killed by the electric shock or by the knife of the surgeon making the obduction after the execution. During his years of service as Coroner, Mr. Harburger had learned of many cases in which powerful electric shocks had caused merely a temporary suspension of animation in the victims and he feared that the same might occur in the case of persons subjected to electric shocks in the electric chair. He was determined to start an energetic campaign for the abolition of electrocution, should his observations leave even the slightest doubt as to the instantaneously lethal effect of the electric current. He returned from Ossining with the firm conviction that electrocution is really the quickest and most humane method of executing persons condemned to death.

Abe Martin



Very few authors live happily ever afterwards.

Th' club man gets his picture in th' paper when he dies an' th' poor man when he's cured.

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY of Fayette, ss:

Before me the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared James J. Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say

That he was Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville Pa, and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, January 20, 1912, was as follows:

January 15	6,724
January 16	6,752
January 17	6,755
January 18	6,813
January 19	6,752
January 20	6,854
Total	40,649
Daily Average	6,774

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1910 to date was as follows

1910		
January	157,250	6,948
February	153,485	6,312
March	176,637	6,542
April	171,738	6,606
May	171,414	6,593
June	168,217	6,400
July	162,205	6,488
August	170,180	6,525
September	167,897	6,457
October	167,825	6,454
November	171,808	6,010
December	170,712	6,506
Totals	2,013,398	6,174
1911.		
January	185,347	7,128
February	164,061	6,873
March	185,561	6,876
April	175,838	7,033
May	184,253	6,824
June	176,272	6,770
July	175,340	7,000
August	183,793	6,905
September	185,490	7,159
October	179,935	6,920
November	184,780	7,107
December	171,320	6,352
Totals	2,152,714	6,944

And further sayeth not.

Jas J Driscoll.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of January, 1912

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—ROOMERS AND BOARDERS, 2nd floor Schell's Hardware. 10jan2tfd*

WANTED—WAITER AT FAYETTE Restaurant, formerly Pritchard's. 17jan tf

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE of small farm S J. HARRY, Title & Trust Bldg, Connellsville. 20jan tf

WANTED—FOUR FIRST CLASS carpenters P. & L. E. shelter house. Apply on job 22jan1td*

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Inquire DR W C. SEELEY, 143 W. Main. 22jan2td

WANTED—POSITION AS BLACKsmith, 20 years experience. Address "BLACKSMITH," care Courier 22jan2td*

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOKkeeper. 15 years experience Local reference Address "BOOKKEEPER," Box 55, care Courier 15jan tfd

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED bookkeeper, several small sets of books to keep during the day and night, if necessary If your books have not been properly kept during the past now is the time to start right. Address "ACCOUNTANT," care Courier. 15jan tfd

WANTED—MANUFACTURER DEsires energetic reliable man for this district to manage exclusive agency on new household specialty of merit Requires about one hundred dollars to carry stock. Exclusive territory given immediate action necessary to secure independent money-making business Write J H. Dodd, Sales Manager 401-4 Penn Bldg, Pittsburg, Pa., for particulars. jan19-22

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOMES HOTEL. INquire 106 MAIN STREET, second floor. 20jan tf

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE with gas on corner of 7th and Main. Inquire 325 W. MAIN. 22jan2td

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE with large cellar and inside closet. Rent $16.50 Vacant February 1st. Corner Francis avenue and Prospect street 22jan1td*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SIX OLC THOROUGHbred pigs, six weeks old. W. E MIER, Pennsville, Pa. Tri-State Phone 20jan2td

FOR SALE—PRIVATE COLLECTION of books Party leaving town. Library consists of works of standard and popular authors. Will sell at sacrifice to quick buyer Address "BOOKLOVER," care Courier 15jan tfd

FOR SALE — POOLROOM, SIX tables, oldest stand in town doing fine business. Room on main corner of town A money maker Owner cannot attend to it, living out of town Terms easy Address No 5 PITTSBURG STREET, Scottdale, Pa. 10jan1td*

Strayed.

STRAYED TO THE FARM OF Elmer Dull, Old Meadow, a heifer on January 14. Owner can have same, by paying for this notice, etc 22jan1td

Money to Loan.

AMOUNTS FROM $100 TO $8,000 CLAUDE B. ANDERSON, 401 Title & Trust Bldg 11jan tf

LUCKY.

"Did you have any good luck at the crap game last night?"

"Well, I should say so! My wife found me and took me home before I had a chance to lose anything."

Up in Our Carpet Department on the Second Floor, We Are Ready With Our First Showing of New

Spring Rugs

The Early Buyer Will Be Impressed With Their Beauty and Newness of Pattern.

This is earlier perhaps, than has been our custom to offer the new styles in Rugs but none too early for those who wish to buy their floor coverings at the beginning of the season. We know that you will agree with us when we say that the patterns and colorings surpass anything the makers have created. The rich soft tones and high finish show marked progress in the art of rug weaving. While at present our showing is not complete we are offering a fair collection of new Wilton Velvets, Body Brussels, Bigelow Electras and Tapestries in regular 9x12 and smaller sizes from which to choose. Notwithstanding the fact that they have increased in beauty and quality, our prices for the coming spring in most cases will be even lower than those of past seasons.

E. DUNN

DOWN ON PITTSBURG STREET.

YOU MISS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Our $2.35 Sale for Women and $2.85 Sale for Men

NOW GOING ON

FOR WOMEN AT $2.35

Nearly everything we have in Johnson Bros at $3.00 and $3.50, a great many of Queen Qualitys, a few Zeigler and Burt's $4.00 Shoes are in this sale for $2.35.

FOR MEN AT $2.85

All of Burt and Packards $3.50 Shoes, a lot of Walk-Over $3.50 and $4.00 and a few J. E. Tilts Shoes are in this sale at $2.85.

The opportunity is here. You make a great mistake if you don't take advantage of this sale right now. Everybody needs shoes. We save you money.

C. W. DOWNS & CO.

Where Style Runs High and Prices Reasonable.

For Women Our Shoes

If you are among the few who do not know the DOROTHY DODD and the ARMSTRONG footwear, we should be glad of the opportunity to show you some of the Fall and Winter Styles.

$3.00
$3.50
$4.00
$5.00
$5.50

Shoes with distinctive style and correct proportion.

Patents, Tans, Cravenette, Bengaline Silk, Gun Metal, Suede and Black and Brown Buckskin.

Hooper & Long

OVERHOLT'S SLEIGH ATTACKED BY DOGS

At Scottdale They Tore Mrs. Christ Overholt's Shawl From Her Shoulders.

DOGS HAVE BAD REPUTATION

Scottdale Men Arrive Home from Pittsburg Show, Stating Its Standard Was Very High One—Other Notes of News.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Chris. F. Overholt of Iron Bridge had a terrifying experience, particularly to Mrs. Overholt in an adventure that several people have had duplicated by some vicious dogs that inhabit one of the places in North Scottdale, near the bridge leading from the road past J. W. Ruth's planing mill. Mr. and Mrs. Overholt were in their sleigh on Saturday coming to town when the dogs attacked them as they were driving along. The huge dogs dashed out at the sleigh and leaping up attempted to tear the occupants of the sleigh to pieces, something after the manner ascribed to wolves in the chases described in the traveler's narratives. So successful were the dogs in their attempt that they tore Mrs. Overholt's shawl from the shoulder with their teeth and would have done much worse had not Mr. Overholt by speeding the horse and using the butt of the whip kept the dogs at bay. It is a puzzle to the people who travel that road why the residents keep such dogs or why the dogs are allowed to be kept. The animals are a positive menace to the traveling public and a tragedy will some day result from the savage creatures. The Overholt people are the worst sufferers from the vicious animals so far, it is said, although many others have been attacked.

HOME FROM SHOW.

Arthur J. Porter and J. Allan Porter, who had "Bonner," the trick horse of the former on exhibition as one of the features of the Pennsylvania Show at Duquesne Garden, arrived home over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad Saturday. They were well pleased with their trip and particularly with the courteous treatment they received from the B. & O. employes all along the line, as the ride in the box car was not an easy one for the men or horse, but the railroad people gave them every possible help in their shipping. The fair, they say, was a great deal bigger event than was indicated by the Pittsburg newspapers, whose seem to have followed their motto of "Pittsburg Promotes Progress," by conscientiously ignoring everything that did not come out of Pittsburg. Splendid horses and cattle and other domestic animals from all over the State and from other states as well were on exhibition and drew prizes and the most favorable comment from the thousands that attended the shows. But beyond mentioning the municipal horses and the delivery horses of Pittsburg firms, nothing was printed of the horses and cattle from points outside of Pittsburg. "Bonner" won first prize for handsome driver and was a center of attraction when going through his performances. One of the things that caught the attention of the horsemen was the little care that was necessary to make "Bonner" shine like silk, while other horsemen had to polish, curry and scrub at their horses to make them shine, a few rubs over "Bonner" brought out the glisten of his coat. The exhibition of Pennsylvania fruit was extraordinary, but the almost absolute lack of mention of it would never give the people in general the idea that Pennsylvania is the genuine leader in apple growing.

AFTERNOON MEETING.

On account of the many evening meetings of various kinds going on the W. C. T. U. will have their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock instead of in the evening. The meeting will be at Mrs. William Burtsfield's.

DREW A BIG CROWD.

L. B. Wickersham, the popular lecturer, who appeared here on Friday evening in the Y. M. C. A. drew a crowded house at the First Methodist Episcopal church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wickersham held the closest attention of the audience and proved to be one of the greatest speakers, among the many who have been here. The silver offering was taken up for the new Y. M. C. A. for which Mr. Wickersham has a special friendship, as a place where a boy may be given help in many ways.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The Farmers' Institute opened this morning with a large attendance and will continue this evening and close tomorrow evening. The principal music of the evening will be the Scottdale and East Huntingdon township High School glee club.

TIME TO KNOW THIS.

What Hem-Roid Will Do For Any Woman With Piles.

Many a woman drags along a life of misery with piles because she does not know of HEM-ROID, the sugar-coated tablet remedy that cures any kind of piles by restoring good circulation of blood in the swollen, clogged parts.

HEM-ROID is sold under a guarantee of satisfaction by A. A. Clarke, Connellsville, Pa., and all druggists. $1 for 24 days' treatment. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y., mails a free booklet describing it. 10

Texas Laundrymen Meet.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 22.—Waco is entertaining for two days the annual convention of the Texas Laundry men's Association. President S. G. Burnett of Beaumont occupied the chair at the opening session today.

Recipe for Domestic Peace.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—In patching up the shattered domestic tranquility of Ralph Sundblat, Judge Goodnow advised him: "Never go to bed at night without having settled all your difficulties with your wife."

NEW VEIN OF BITUMINOUS COAL FOUND IN NORTHWEST

Fourteen Foot Deposit Runs Low in Sulphur, Has Good Coking Qualities and Steam Properties.

Tanum Coal Company has been organized at Spokane, Wash., with an authorized capital stock of $500,000 to develop a tract of coal land on Tanum creek, near Ellensburg, Wash., in the Roslyn district.

The discovery of the vein was made by James Wilson, who homesteaded 160 acres of government land on Tanum creek. Analyses of the product by A. N. Cantrill, manager of the Spokane Gas Company, shows it to be one of the best grades of gas and coking coals that has yet come to his attention. W. G. Malloy said:

"From the scientific analyses this coal seems to be the highest grade of bituminous coal discovered in the northwest. The 14-foot vein on the property is believed to be one of the largest in this country. From various analyses made we get the following average: Moisture, 4%; volatile hydrocarbon, 43%; fixed carbon, 45%; sulphur, 0.52%; ash, 9.5%; coking qualities, 87%, and B. T. U., 13,754.

"The development of this strike has already been put under way, as we have installed 300 feet of gangway, and have passed through coal ranging from 14 to 20 feet in thickness, and have installed an hydraulic system and erected a coal tipple.

"At present the coal is six miles from transportation, being on equal distance from the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound and the Northern Pacific railways. As soon as we determine the extent of the coal bodies we shall arrange to build our own railroad spurs connecting with the two lines.

"The Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound company, two years ago, drilled a quarter of a mile above our vein, and in 840 feet the drill passed through nine distinct veins of coal of this same high character."

Mr. Malloy has been extensively engaged in the coal business for some years, being new president of the Maple Hill Coal Company, which for a number of years was exclusive agent for the Roslyn Cascade Coal Company, which has an output of 600 tons daily. The Maple Hill now is exclusive agent for the Amalgamated Copper Company's coal mines in Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington, and of the Acme in the same territory. During the recent coal strike in British Columbia the Maple Hill Company sold more than 60,000 tons in the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia.

A GREAT LAWYER SAID

"If I had my way" a famous lawyer once said "I would make good health as contagious as measles."

Just think of it—suppose you could catch good health as easily as you catch cold—this would be a poor world for doctors and druggists.

Mrs. T. A. Trapp who lives in Arlington, N. J., has found the next best thing to catching good health. She says "A few weeks ago I contracted a cough which annoyed me a great deal as I was badly run down at the time. It kept me awake at night and distressed me greatly. After two weeks of this I began to take Vinol and one bottle not only caused my cough to disappear but I feel much better in every way and can sleep well again."

If you can't literally "catch" good health, you can at least recover it and build yourself up by taking our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, Vinol. It makes weak folks strong, and we guarantee it to give perfect satisfaction. Your money back if it does not. Graham & Company, Druggists, Connellsville. Vinol is sold in West Connellsville by Fred H. Harmening, Druggist.

RECORD-BREAKING YEAR FOR DAIRY COMMISSIONER FOUST

Receipts in His Department Exceeded Expenditures by One-Half. 8,200 Samples Investigated.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 22.—Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust, reviewing the work of his division for the year 1911, says that in many respects, it was a record-breaker. The receipts from fines and license fees totaled $120,993.43, while the total expenditures for the year were only $83,083.13. In other words, the collections for the period exceeded the expenditures by $37,910.33, a sum equal to nearly one-half the total expenditures. In 1910, the excess of receipts over expenditures was $31,000 in round figures.

By provision of law, all monies collected by the Division are turned over to the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth, and all expenditures made under fixed legislative appropriations. The protective service the Division can perform for the public must be measured not by the fines and fees collected, but by the appropriations set apart for its work.

During 1911, 8,200 samples were purchased and examined, as compared with 6,600 in 1910. In 1911, 1,029 cases for violation of the laws were terminated, 78% of them by the payment of fines imposed; in 1910, 667 cases were terminated. Of the cases for 1911, 461 were instituted under the Milk and Sausage Acts, approved by Governor Tener. The number of violations of these new laws proves the urgent need of these beneficial acts. Their enforcement has done much to make the milk can shy of the pump and the skimmer, and to break up the old partnership between the sausage factory, the grist mill, the water plug and the dye kettle.

Railway Development in Alberta.

EDMONTON, Alta., Jan. 22.—The Alberta legislative assembly convened today and was opened with the customary formalities. The session promises to be one of more than ordinary interest and importance. Railway development occupies a foremost plan on the Government program.

John Hays Hammond of Massachusetts and Governor Robert P. Bass of New Hampshire are to speak at the opening meeting of the Republican campaign in Michigan in February.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN MT. PLEASANT

Happenings of Interest in the Busy Town Among the Hills.

WHAT THE PEOPLE ARE DOING

Children's Chorus Begins Its Rehearsals With 150 Enrolled—Mrs. J. L. Kalp Entertains the Saturday Afternoon Club—Other Notes.

MT. PLEASANT, Jan. 22.—Rehearsal of the chorus that Prof. Hanke is training was held on Saturday afternoon. Already 150 have enrolled and with better weather 100 more will be enrolled this week. The first entertainment will be given about Easter.

The Mt. Pleasant High School defeated Irwin basketball five at the Armory Saturday evening by a score of 52 to 13.

J. Lloyd Kalp entertained the Saturday Afternoon Club at her South Church street home on Saturday afternoon. Miss Elizabeth Warden was the leader and the subject was "Education." A discussion was held "How Does the Public School Cater to the College." Affirmative Mrs. S. C. Stevenson, negative Mrs. B. M. Loar. A paper was read by Mrs. Hess on "The Value of Manual Training in Public Schools." Among the people present from Scottdale were Mrs. Hess, the Misses Hutchinson, Reed and Smith, Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mrs. Loucks and Mrs. Silsley. An open meeting will be held at Bryce's Tuesday.

Misses Ruth Hubbs, Isa Christner and Viola Kalp, Messrs. Verne Crosby, Ogle Long and Ben Stillwagon with Instructor Thomas Mullen of the Mt. Pleasant Dramatic Club met at the home of Miss Martha Warden on Saturday evening, with Miss Warden and Mrs. Kennedy of the Ladies' Hospital Aid to discuss the rural comedy drama "Valley Farm," to be given by the club. A temporary assignment has been made of the twelve speaking parts and a decision will be made this evening just who will keep the parts. This evening's meeting will be held in the Braddock building.

Joseph Lakin and David Barron were business callers in Youngwood Saturday.

Mrs. William Brinkley of Youngwood was the guest of Miss Garnet West on Saturday.

Howard McNaughton employed in Pittsburg, has been called home by the illness of his mother.

Joseph Goldsmith is home after a few weeks visit in Morgantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper arrived here from Detroit, Mich., last evening. Mr. Cooper will be employed in the George Cooper saddler shop.

About 300 men turned out to the union meeting of the Men's Bible class. Attorney Sibley of Greensburg made an address and Miss Alice Zozier presided at the piano. The men met at each Sunday school and marched to the Reformed church in a body.

BITTER MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN DETROIT OVER 3-CENT FARE

Tomorrow the Voters Will Decide Between Extending Present Franchise or Municipal Ownership.

Special to The Courier.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 22.—A special election will be held in Detroit tomorrow to settle the street railway controversy, which has been a burning issue ever since the late Hazen C. Pingree, during his term as mayor, inaugurated a campaign for three-cent fares some fifteen years ago.

At tomorrow's election the voters will decide the fate of the Thompson-Rialy three-cent fare plan, which provides for an extension of the present street railway franchise until 1924 with eight tickets for a quarter in the day time, six at night, and universal transfers. At the same time the voters will pass upon a proposal for out-and-out municipal ownership of the street railways.

The campaign which closed today has been the most hotly contested in the history of Detroit. The Board of Commerce is the leading proponent of the Thompson-Rialy ordinance. Billboards and dead walls throughout the city have been covered with posters advertising the merits of the plan. Mayor Thompson and a corps of fifty assistants have toured the city daily making speeches for the ordinance.

It is generally believed that the three-cent fare plan will be carried and the proposal for municipal ownership defeated. The business men appear to be almost a unit in support of the Thompson-Rialy ordinance. Sentiment among the workingmen is more difficult to gauge, though a straw vote of the employes in many of the large factories indicates that the workingmen also favor the three-cent fare plan. The women have taken a lively interest in the campaign, as the women taxpayers are to have a vote at the election.

The opponents of the three-cent fare ordinance are banking on the requirement of the constitution that, to carry, the measure must have not less than three-fifths of the votes polled. This means that the ordinance must have a majority of not less than 10,000 votes.

IF YOU HAD A NECK AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW AND HAD SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN TONSILINE WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT. 25c. and 50c. Hospital Size $1. ALL DRUGGISTS.

Bargains in Building Lots at South Connellsville.

You naturally ask WHY are they Bargains?

The reasons are simple and convincing.

1. They are Bargains because they are cheap. There are no other lots so near to Connellsville that are as low in price as these lots are. Prices range from $300 down to $40. They have been made to suit the times. This is the time to get in on the Ground Floor.

2. There are no other lots better provided with the conveniences of living, which make real estate valuable, among them may be mentioned:

TROLLEY SERVICE. Only ten minutes from center of Connellsville. Only one fare, with exchange for the main line.

CITY WATER. The mains of the Connellsville Water Company are laid on the principle streets.

ELECTRIC LIGHT. The electric light service of Connellsville extends to South Connellsville.

NATURAL GAS. The mains of the Fayette County Gas Company traverse the principle thoroughfares of South Connellsville.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS. A new public school building is in course of construction in the heart of South Connellsville, convenient to all sections of the town.

Workingmen with a little capital laid by are not wise to pay Extravagant Rents when they can buy a lot in South Connellsville for a mere fraction of what they have to pay for lots in Connellsville proper and yet have the conveniences of the citizens of the town.

Only a short walk for B. & O. shop men.

TERMS: Ten per cent. down, and the balance to suit convenience of the purchaser.

Inquire of

CONNELLSVILLE EXTENSION CO.

Office, Courier Building, - - Connellsville, Pa.

Fifty Years Ago Sunday. Jan. 21.

Burnside's expeditionary fleet lay in Hatteras inlet. Storm bound vessels were driven from their anchors. Sailors and soldiers were in distress, owing to a fresh water famine on shipboard.

Twenty-five Years Ago Sunday

Eviction of west of Ireland peasants from their homes continued.

Fifty Years Ago Today. Jan. 22.

President Lincoln returned thanks to Thomas' army for its victory at Mill Springs on the 19th, the first formal congratulations to troops by the Federal commander in chief.

Utah constitutional convention met at Great Salt Lake City prepared to demand admission to the Union.

Congress took up the famous war financial measure providing for $100,000,000 demand treasury notes and $500,000,000 6 per cent bonds.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Rumors long current of war between Russia and England became positive and definite.

Montana Poultry Show.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 22.—The fourth annual exhibition of the Montana Poultry Association, which opened in the auditorium in this city today, is the biggest affair of its kind ever staged in this State. The exhibits number more than 1,000 and embrace a wide variety of high-bred fowls. The show will last the entire week.

Carolina Good Roads Meeting.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 22.—Gratifying progress in the campaign for improved highways was reported here today at the twelfth annual convention of the South Carolina Good Roads Association. Among the matters discussed was a proposal to employ convict labor in road construction work.

108 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

LAST CHANCE FOR FREE LAND

A reservation of fertile valley land is now open in Mexico. Homesteads Free. Only requirement is to have five acres of bananas planted within five years. An authorized Improvement Co. will plant the bananas and market them on shares. Your share should bring $200 per acre. Address The Rio Tonto Land Co., Block 115, Greensburg, Pa. They are distributors for the U. S. You need not go to Mexico. 16jan0t-eod

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They cost only one cent a word, and bring results.

NO SALTS, OIL OR PILLS BUT CASCARETS

No Odds How Sick Your Stomach; How Hard Your Head Aches or How Bilious—Cascarets Make You Feel Great.

You men and women who somehow can't get feeling right—who have an almost daily headache, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out.

Are you keeping clean inside with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the decomposed waste matter and poison in the intestines and bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your entire family feeling good for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—do good—never gripe or sicken.

Can Bowl Too.

Fred Merkle, first baseman of the New York Giants, is a member of a crack bowling team in Toledo, Ohio.

STEPMOTHER ARRAIGNED FOR DEATH OF HELEN RUMBALL

Bound Child to Studding of Attic and When Overcome by Heat She Was Strangled to Death.

Special to The Courier.

OROVILLE, Cal., Jan. 22.—Much interest is manifested in the case of Mrs. Emma L. Rumball, who was arraigned in court here today to stand trial for the alleged murder of her 13 year old step-daughter, Helen Rumball. The little girl was found dead in the attic of her home near here last June. In the morning of the day of her death, her stepmother had whipped her and bound her to the studding of the attic because, according to the stepmother, the little girl had misbehaved. It was one of the hottest days of the year and the consequent heat in the attic was increased by an incubator in operation.

The supposition is that the girl fainted from the heat and in falling to the floor was strangled by the rope with which she was tied. The medical examination showed that her neck was broken in two places. When the facts became known Mrs. Rumball was indicted for causing the death of her stepdaughter. Arthur Lewis, a brother of Mrs. Rumball, was indicted as an accessory. Lewis was tried several weeks ago and convicted of manslaughter.

Hunting Bargains?

If so read the advertisements in this paper carefully. You will find them.

THIS IS MY 79TH BIRTHDAY.

Angus MacGillivray.

Angus MacGillivary, for many years one of the leaders in public affairs in Nova Scotia, was born in Pictou county, Nova Scotia, January 22, 1842. After completing his education at St. Francis Xavier University, he studied law and was called to the bar in 1874. Four years later he began his public career as a member of the legislative assembly of Nova Scotia, of which body he was elected Speaker in 1883 and served three years. In later years he became a member of the Executive Council and of the Legislative Council and in 1902 he was appointed to the bench. Following his retirement from public life Mr. MacGillivrary became a lecturer on constitutional history at St. Francis Xavier University.

Congratulations to:

John A. MacDonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, 60 years old today.

Maurice Henry Hewlett, English writer and critic, 51 years old today.

Rev. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton Theological Seminary and former president of Princeton University, 69 years old today.

Providence Automobile Show.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 22.—The latest productions of the motor car factories are displayed in an attractive setting at the annual exhibition of the Rhode Island Licensed Automobile Dealers' Association which opened in the State Armory in this city today. The show will continue through the week.

Detroit Automobile Show.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 22.—Detroit, the world's greatest centre of the automobile industry, his its eleventh annual show of motor cars this week. The exhibition, which is given under the auspices of the Detroit Automobile Dealers' Association, opened today in the Wayne pavilion.

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Scientific Methods of State Board in Protecting Live Stock Investments.

PLANS SAVING OF MILLIONS

Vigorous Campaign Against Bovine Tuberculosis—Value of Laboratory Work to Stockmen and Veterinarians.

A state board at Harrisburg proposes to save the farmers of Pennsylvania five million dollars a year. It is estimated that the farmers of this state annually lose live stock worth that amount of money by diseases which can be prevented. The State Live Stock Sanitary Board has rendered valuable service to the Pennsylvania farmer since its organization fourteen years ago, but its work appears to have only begun. The last census shows that there are 205,075 farms in Pennsylvania, and that the value of the live stock on these farms is $133,219,000. The plans of the state board to protect this investment from preventable losses from disease are being closely followed, not only by live stock raisers and breeders of the United States, but by those abroad.

Pennsylvania was the first state to organize and properly equip a laboratory where diseases of animals could be studied and recognized. It has proven of inestimable value to stockmen and veterinarians. It is located at the veterinary school in Philadelphia, where all possible facilities are employed to study the mysterious diseases of animals. The laboratory is under the direction of Dr. Karl F. Meyer, who was trained in the best schools of continental Europe. Dr. Meyer also has charge of experimental work on the state farm, which is located in Delaware County. He, with his staff of qualified assistants, are engaged in studying the diseases of domestic animals in Pennsylvania. At the same time they are engaged in the preparation of many test fluids, such as tuberculin, mallein, etc., for the diagnosis of disease. The preparation of vaccine and sera for all diseases against which preventive vaccination measures can be taken, are made in accordance with the latest advancements of science.

Wide Range of Laboratory Work.

Since Jan. 1, 1911, 32,000 doses of tuberculin, 1000 doses of anthrax vaccine and sixty gallons of hog cholera serum have been prepared in the laboratory and distributed among Pennsylvania farmers free of cost. These three products alone, if purchased in the market, would have cost practically $15,000; more than half the amount of money appropriated for laboratory work for the next two years. Hog cholera causes the largest proportionate loss of any disease of swine, and this industry represents a money value of over six million dollars. Much of the laboratory work has been done under adverse circumstances, but ample facilities are now provided for doing the work under the best and safest conditions and much better results may be expected in the future.

During the period referred to the laboratory examined 550 pathological specimens sent in by local practitioners. In many cases the cause of the disease was discovered and valuable information furnished for handling it. The diseases caused by poisonous plants and parasites have been made the subject of special investigation. The laboratory has gained an international reputation on account of its tuberculosis research work, and it is hoped that with the improved facilities and equipment furnished by the state that it will take a prominent place among those of the countries of Europe in veterinary research work.

The fight of the board against bovine tuberculosis is an impressive feature of its efficient service to the cattle industry. This was one of the first animal diseases to receive the board's attention. The plans for handling it were carefully made and judiciously executed. The first tuberculin testing in America was done by the late Dr. Leonard Pearson, and a vigorous campaign against this disease has been directed.

Menace of Bovine Tuberculosis.

The laws and rules regulating the board's work are recognized as the best by veterinarians throughout the country. Recently during six weeks 3742 head of cattle, brought into Pennsylvania for dairy purposes were submitted to the test. Of this number twenty-three failed to pass the test. During the same period 952 native cows were tested for farmers and forty were condemned and safely eliminated from the herds. Dealers are becoming more in sympathy with the work of testing animals properly before offering them for sale. Dairymen are much more careful in purchasing dairy cattle that are free from tuberculosis than they were formerly. The most intelligent realize that a dairy business cannot be conducted profitably unless the disease is checked.

The importance of keeping tuberculosis free herds is still more apparent in breeding herds. All states in which dairying is carried on extensively have laws requiring that dairy and breeding cattle must be properly tested before they can be accepted from another state or country. It is imperative that dealers, dairymen and breeders should observe the laws, rules and regulations for shipping cattle from one state to another in accordance with the requirements of the state live stock sanitary board. The federal authorities have wisely provided that cattle failing to pass a tuberculin test cannot be shipped or moved from one state to another.

Rabies is one of the most important diseases with which the state board has to deal. A rabid dog frequently bites and infects several animals in a herd, and the owner is not aware of its visit until the animal bitten shows symptoms of a strange disease that is seldom diagnosed properly until a veterinarian is called.

Decline of Sheep Industry.

A few years ago Pennsylvania ranked high as a sheep raising state, while at the present time comparatively few sheep are kept. The decline followed to a marked degree the development of mining in the western section of the state, not only because the mining operations decreased the amount of pasture lands, but because of the great number of foreigners who worked in the mines and gathered about them a vast horde of worthless dogs, over which they had little or no control. These dogs were underfed, not confined and roamed about, fought with other dogs and spread rabies through those sections.

During two months of this year thirty-four cases of rabies were reported from twenty-four counties, and in five additional cases the diagnosis of rabies was made at the laboratory. Quarantines to the number of 161 were served on 425 animals, and they were kept under close observation for 100 days. In four communities it was necessary to establish general quarantines, which covered territory ranging in size from one to five townships. In addition to suppressing and eradicating the disease the state board, through representatives in the field, is endeavoring to educate farmers as to the symptoms presented by different animals affected with rabies.

Anthrax has been prevalent in several sections of the state for years, and in some cases the losses have been high. For the past few years the board has recommended the annual spring vaccination of animals against anthrax in sections where the disease has been known to exist.

Expense Borne by the State.

The work is done at the expense of the state and the results have been uniformly satisfactory. In addition to the annual spring vaccination 457 animals were immunized this year during July and August in five counties. Blackleg occurs occasionally in all portions of the state. It has many points in common with anthrax and preventive vaccination is the only means known for checking it. The state board has been remarkably successful in fighting it.

A quarantine against Texas fever has been maintained by the federal bureau of animal industry for years, yet occasionally native cattle are confined in sheds, driven across chutes or shipped in cars that have been contaminated by southern cattle and have not been properly cleaned or disinfected. During the past summer three outbreaks occurred in Pennsylvania. In each case the disease was recognized promptly and its spread immediately checked. Nearly 200 animals were exposed and twenty-four died.

The board employs agents to supervise slaughter houses in the rural districts of the state. As a result the rural slaughter houses now are better equipped, cleaner and far better managed than ever before. Many diseased carcasses, which would have found their way to the table if they had not been discovered by these agents, have been condemned and destroyed. The state provides money to pay the owner the appraised value of a condemned tuberculous carcass so he will not be tempted to dispose of it for food purposes to prevent his own loss.

Support of Tener Administration.

A milk hygiene service recently has been organized. Three qualified agents have been selected to travel through the state and assist the local agents in carrying out the requirements of the board. The bulk of the work will be carried on by local veterinarians. Their principal duties at first will be along educational lines.

The live stock sanitary board has received the support of every legislature since its organization. The favorable attitude of Governor John K. Tener is indicated by his deep interest in its work and his approval of measures intended to increase its efficiency. Governor Tener is president of the board. Its work is directed by Dr. C. J. Marshall, state veterinarian, and one on the highest authorities in this country on the diseases of domestic animals.

To Vote on Commission Plan.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Jan. 22.—Everything is in readiness for the special election here tomorrow to decide whether or not Janesville shall adopt the commission form of government. Advocates of the plan have waged a vigorous campaign and are hopeful that the proposal will be adopted.

Danny Goodman and Leo Kelly.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn, Jan. 22.—Patrons of the Chattanooga Athletic Club are promised a good card of events at the club's boxing show tomorrow night. The feature event of the evening will be an eight-round bout between Danny Goodman of Chicago and Leo Kelly of St. Louis.

Skin on Fire?

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Spanish Troops in Morocco are Planning More Active Campaign Against Tribesmen

MADRID, Jan. 22.—In spite of the recent victory of the Spanish troops at Melilla reports from Morocco indicate that the tribesmen are again becoming troublesome. They are assembling in considerable numbers, and it seems that they are planning another attack on the Spanish troops like they made a few weeks ago. In order to forestall such action the Spanish troops are preparing to carry on an active campaign, and they hope to rout the Arabs before they have assembled in such numbers as to make them a dangerous foe.

BY-PRODUCT OVENS

Lehigh Coke Company Building 300 at Bethlehem.

The Lehigh Coke Company, the $15,000,000 corporation backed by the Deutsch Bank, expects to have 300 by-product coke ovens completed and ready for firing by September 1, next, says the Wall Street Journal. These will have a minimum capacity of 3,360 net tons of coke per day and are being built contiguous to the plant of the Bethlehem Steel Company at South Bethlehem, Pa., the latter concern having contracted to purchase all of the coke produced by the Lehigh company. The plant is capable of enlargement to 600 ovens with a daily capacity of over 6,600 net tons.

The Lehigh company in constructing these ovens at South Bethlehem has reversed the usual order and instead of coking the coal at the mines will coke it in retort by-product ovens at point of consumption where also it will find or be near a ready market for the numerous by-products extracted from the coal in the process of coking. The Bethlehem Steel Company has also contracted to use all of the gas recovered in the process over and above what will be required to regenerate the ovens and will utilize this in its open hearth furnaces and for general heating purposes.

The Bethlehem Steel Company has agreed to deliver to the Lehigh company the coal to be converted into coke under its contract and with this end in view last year made a contract with the Western Maryland Railroad Company for a supply of coal covering a minimum of 2,000 tons and a maximum of 6,000 tons of coal daily. The contract runs for twenty years and calls for approximately 750,000 to 2,000,000 tons per annum. It is believed that the steel company's requirements will run close to the maximum amount.

The steel company under its contract with the Lehigh Coke Company has secured an option to purchase the plant of the latter company at the end of 20 years, and has obligated itself to purchase at the end of 30 years. The coke company has $3,500,000 preferred and $4,000,000 common stock outstanding. The 300 ovens now under construction will cost in the neighborhood of $3,500,000. Contracts have been signed for the sale of substantially all of the company's by-products other than those which will be used by the steel company.

Won by His Wit.

On one occasion a dress rehearsal at His Majesty's theater was prolonged till the small hours of the morning. The company grew very weary, particularly a gentleman who had been with Sir Herbert Tree in a good many productions, but who had never attained to more than a very tiny part. When the time came to rehearse his few lines he was so tired that his voice was anything but distinct.

"What's the matter, Mr. Z.?" asked Sir Herbert in his most sarcastic tones. "Are you saving your voice for the rehearsal?"

"No, Sir Herbert," was the retort; "I've never been able to save anything under your management."

Sir Herbert, an exceedingly witty man himself, was so pleased with the retort that the salary of the small part man was raised.—London M. A. P.

Key West's Day to Jubilate.

KEY WEST, Fla., Jan. 22.—A big three-day celebration was ushered in here today in honor of the arrival of the first train over the 127-mile oversea extension of the Florida East Coast railway, giving Key West its first direct connection with the mainland.

Motored Over Ice.

PORT CLINTON, O., Jan. 22.—B. W. Weller of Cincinnati piloted an automobile across Lake Erie ice from Put-in-Bay here, avoiding treacherous cracks and ice holes. This was his return trip over the ice.

Unclaimed Letters.

Letters advertised at the postoffice at Connellsville, Pa.:

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CHANGE AT MATTEAWAN NOT DUE TO THAW'S INFLUENCE

Resignation of Dr. Lamb as Head of Institution Was Not on Account of Famous Inmate.

United Press Telegram.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 22.—"The public seems more concerned in the Thaw case, than the department is," Col. Joseph F. Scott, state superintendent of prisons, declared in discussing the rumors that Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, has begun another fight to bring about his release from Matteawan.

"Thaw is to us, the same as any other prisoner," he continued. "No one has ever approached me to do anything for Thaw, and I have heard from him but on one occasion. Then he made a reasonable request and I granted it."

"There is nothing to the stories that the Thaw influence brought about the dismissal of the former superintendent, Dr. Lamb. When I became superintendent of prisons the objection was that Matteawan was being conducted on prison lines instead of as a hospital. Dr. Lamb resigned voluntarily. There is no influence being used to bring about the appointment of any one man to fill Dr. Lamb's place, nor will the Thaw case have any bearing on the appointment.

"As to Thaw money being used the idea I meant to convey was what is common rumor, that many lawyers have been retained. I don't believe any money has been used to influence the medical staff."

Thaw's counsel, Clarence Shearn, recently called on the attorney general and discussed the case. He was told that on account of the changes in the institution the state would want time to consider any motion that might be made.

Fainted at the Altar.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 22.—"This getting married is too much for my nerves," remarked David Greengard, when the physicians pulled him out of a fainting spell, after the minister had pronounced him and Lottie Brower man and wife.

Auto for Mikado.

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—The emperor of Japan, who has always preferred horses to motor cars, has just ordered two $20,000 automobiles.

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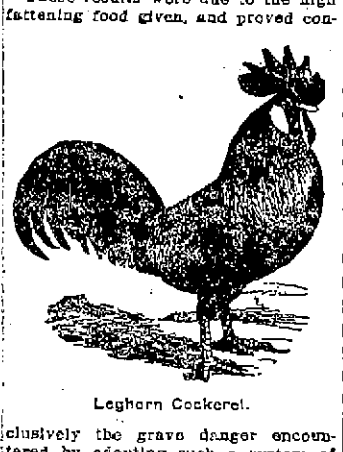

Leghorn Cockerel.

A meal mash in the morning and whole or cracked corn at noon and night brought about the same results.

These experiments were tried during the spring months before the fowls had access to yards or free range.

Later in the season when on free range the same rations were fed with the same result, but attended with fewer deaths.

There is danger in feeding the flock too highly, or, in other words, upon food too rich in blood and fat-making ingredients.

The first shipment of Leghorn fowls to America from Leghorn, Italy, was in the year 1834. The variety immediately became popular from its prolific laying and non-sitting qualities, holding the same place among poultry that the Jersey holds among cattle. Leghorns are excellent foragers, of lively, active, restless dispositions and will pick up a good part of their living, thriving best when allowed a wide range.

Fight Phone Rates.

The State Railroad Commission has been invited to Greensburg for an investigation of the alleged excessive excessive telephone rates charged againste th Bell telephone system by Jeannette and Greensburg business men.

Superintendent Resigns.

Superintendent W. L. Affelder of the Redstone plant of the H. C. Frick Coke Company has resigned to become general manager of the Bulger Block Coal Company.

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Illustrations by Elsworth Young

CHAPTER XV.

The Man's Heart.

Now, love produces both happiness and unhappiness, but on the whole I think the happiness predominates, for love itself if it be true and high is its own reward. Love may feel itself unworthy and may shrink even from the unlatching of the shoe lace of the beloved, yet it joys in its own existence nevertheless. Of course its greatest satisfaction is in the return, but there is a sweetness even in the despair of the truly loving.

Enid Maitland, however, did not have to endure indifference, or fight against a passion which met with no response, for this man loved her with a love that was greater even than her own. The moon, in the trite aphorism, looks on many brooks, the brook sees no moon but the one above him, in the heavens. In one sense his merit in winning her affection for himself from the hundreds of men she knew, was the greater; in many years he had only seen this one woman. Naturally she should be everything to him. She represented to him not only the woman but womankind. He had been a boy practically when he had buried himself in these mountains, and in all that time he had seen nobody like Enid Maitland. Every argument which had been exploited to show why she should love him could be turned about to account for his passion for her. They are not necessary, they are all supererogatory, idle words. To him also love had been born in an hour. It had flushed into existence as if from the fiat of the Divine.

Oh, he had fought against it. Like the cromlies of old he had been scourged into the desert by remorse and another passion, but time had done its work. The woman he first loved had ministered not to the spiritual side of the man, or if she had so ministered in any degree it was because he had looked at her with a glamour of inexperience and youth. During those five years of solitude, of study and of reflection, the truth had gradually unrolled itself before him. Conclusions vastly at variance with what he had ever believed possible as to the woman upon whom he had first bestowed his heart, had got into his being and were in solution there; this present woman was the precipitant which brought them to life. He knew now what the old appeal of his wife had been. He knew now what the new appeal of this woman was.

In humanity two things in life are inextricably intermingled, body and soul. Where the function of one begins and the function of the other ends no one is able to say. In all human passions are admixtures of the earth earthy. We are born the sons of old Adam as we are reborn the sons of the New. Passions are complex. As in harvest wheat and tares grow together until the end, so in love earth and heaven mingle ever. He remembered a clause from an ancient marriage service he had read, "With my body I thee worship," and with every fibre of his physical being, he loved this woman.

It would be idle to deny that, impossible to disguise the facts, but in the melting pot of passion the preponderant ingredient was mental and spiritual; and just because higher and holier things predominated, he held her in his heart a sacred thing. Love is like a rose: the material part is the beautiful blossom; the spiritual factor is the fragrance which abides in the rose jar even after every leaf has faded away, or which may be expressed from the soft petals by the hard circumstances of pain and sorrow until there is left nothing but the lingering perfume of the flower.

His body trembled if she laid a hand upon him, his soul thirsted for her; present or absent he conjured before his tortured brain the sweetness that inhabited her breast. He had been clearsighted enough in analyzing the past, he was neither clearsighted nor coherent in thinking of the present. He worshiped her, he could have thrown himself upon his knees to her; if it would have added to her happiness, she could have killed him, smiling at her. Rode she in the Juggernaut car of the ancient idol, with his body, would he have unhesitatingly paved the way and have been glad of the privilege. He longed to compass her with sweet observances. The world revenged itself upon him for his long neglect, it had summed up in this one woman all its charm, its beauty, its romance, and had thrust her into his very arms. His was one of those great passions which illuminate the records of the past. Paolo had not loved Francesca more.

Oh, yes, the woman knew he loved her. It was not in the power of mortal man no matter how iron his restraint, how absolute the imposition of his will, to keep his heart hidden, his passion undisclosed. No one could keep such things secret, his love for her cried aloud in a thousand ways, even his look when he dared to turn his eyes upon her was eloquent of his feeling. He never said a word, however, he held his lips at least fettered and bound for he believed that honor and its obligations weighed down the balance upon the contrary side to which his inclinations lay.

He was not worthy of this woman. In the first place all he had to offer her was a blood stained hand. That might have been overcome in his mind; but pride in his self punishment, his resolution to withdraw himself, his resolution to withdraw such time as God completed his expiation and signified his acceptance of the penitent by taking away his life, held him inexorably.

The dark face of his wife rose before him. He forced himself to think upon her, she had loved him, she had given him all that she could. He remembered how she had pleaded with him that he take her on that last and most dangerous of journeys, her devotion to him had been so great she could not let him go out of her sight a moment, he thought fatuously! And he killed her. In the queer turmoil of his brain he blessed himself for everything. He could not be false to his purpose, false to her memory, unworthy of the passion in which he believed she had held him and which he believed he had inspired.

If he had gone out in the world, after her death he might have forgotten most of those things, he might have lived them down. Saner clearer views would have come to him. His morbid self reproach and self consciousness would have been changed. But he had lived with them alone for five years and now there was no putting them aside. Honor and pride, the only things that may successfully fight against love, overcome him. He

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could not give way. He wanted to, every time he was in her presence he longed to sweep her to his heart and crush her in his arms and bend her head back and press lips of fire on her lips.

But honor and pride, held him back. How long would they continue to exercise dominion over him? Would the time come when his passion rising like a sea would thunder upon those artificial embankments of his soul, beat them down and sweep them away?

At first the disparity between their situations, not so much upon account of family or of property—the treasures of the mountains, hidden since creation he had discovered and let lie—but because of the youth and position of the woman compared to his own maturer years, his desperate experience, and his social withdrawal had reinforced his determination to live and love without a sign. But he had long since got beyond this. Had he been free he would have taken her like a viking of old, if he had to pluck her from amid a thousand swords and carry her to a beggar's hut which love would have turned to a palace. And she would have come with him on the same conditions.

He did not know that. Women have learned through centuries of weakness that fine art of concealment which man has never mastered. She never let him see what she thought of him. Yet he was not without suspicion; if that suspicion grew to certainty, would he control himself then?

At first he had sought to keep out of her way, but she had compelled him to come in. The room that was kitchen and bed room and store room for him was cheerless and somewhat cold. Save at night or when he was busy with other tasks outside they lived together in the great room. It was always warm, it was always bright, it was always cheerful, there.

The little piles of manuscript she had noted were books that he had written. He made no effort to conceal such things from her. He talked frankly enough about his life in the hills, indeed there was no possibility of avoiding the discussion of such topics. On but two subjects was he inexorably silent. One was the present state of his affections and the other was the why and wherefore of his lonely life. She knew beyond peradventure that he loved her, but she had no faint suspicion even as to the reason why he had become a recluse! He had never given her the slightest clew to his past save that admission that he had known Kirkby which was in itself nothing definitive and which she never connected with that package of letters which she still kept with her.

The man's mind was too active and fertile to be satisfied with manual labor alone, the books that he had written were scientific treatises in the main. One was a learned discussion of the fauna and flora of the mountains. Another was an exhaustive account of the mineral resources and geological formations of the range. He had only to allow a whisper, a suspicion of his discovery of gold and silver in the mountains to escape him, and the canons and crests alike would be filled with eager prospectors. Still a third work was a scientific analysis of the water powers in the canons.

He had willingly allowed her to read them all. Much of them she found technical and, aside from the fact that he had written them, uninteresting. But there was one book remaining in which he simply discussed the mountains in the various seasons of the year; when the snows covered them, when the grass and the moss came again, when the flowers bloomed, when autumn touched the trees. There was the soul of the man, poetry expressed in prose, manlike but none the less poetry for that. This book pored over, she questioned him about it; they discussed it as they discussed Keats and the other poets.

Those were happy evenings. She on one side of the fire sewing, her finger wound with cloth to hold his giant thimble, fashioning for herself some winter garments out of a gay colored, red, white and black ancient and exquisitely woven Navajo blanket, soft and pliable almost as an old-fashioned piece of satin—priceless if she had but known it—which he put at her disposal. While on the other side of the same homely blaze he made for her out of the skins of some of the animals that he had killed, a shapeless foot covering, half moccasin and wholly leggin, which she could wear over her shoes in her short excursions around the plateau and which would keep her feet warm and comfortable.

By her permission he smoked as he worked, enjoying the hour, putting aside the past and the future and for a few moments blissfully content. Sometimes he laid aside his pipe and whatever work he was engaged upon and read to her from some immortal noble number. Sometimes the entertainment fell to her and she sang to him in her glorious contralto voice music that made him sad. Once he could stand it no longer. At the end of a burst of song which filled the little room—he had risen to his feet while she sang, compelled to the erect position by the magnificent melody—as the last notes died away and she smiled at him triumphant and expectant of his praise and his approval, he hurled himself out of the room and into the night, wrestling for hours with the storm which after all was but a trifle to that which raged in his bosom. While she, left alone and deserted, quailed within the silent room till she heard him come back.

Often and often when she slept quietly on one side the thin partition, he lay awake on the other, and sometimes his passion drove him forth to cool the fever, the fire in his soul in the icy wintry air. The struggle within him proved upon him, the keen loving eye of the woman searched his face, scrutinized him, looked into his heart, saw what was there.

She determined to end it, deciding that he must confess his affections. She had no premonition of the truth and no consideration of any evil consequences held her back. She could give free range to her love and her devotion. She had the ordering of their lives and she had the power to end the situation growing more and more impossible. She fancied the matter easily terminable. She thought she had only to let him see her heart in such ways as a maiden may, to bring joy to his own to make him speak. She did not dream of the reality.

One night, therefore, a month or more after she had come, she resolved to end the uncertainty. She believed the easiest and the quickest way would be to get him to tell her why he was there. She naturally surmised that the woman of the picture, which she had never seen since the first day of her arrival, was in some measure the cause of it, and the only pain she had in the situation was the keen jealousy that would obtrude itself at the thought of that woman. She remembered everything that he had said to her, and she recalled that he had once made the remark that he would treat her as he would have his wife treated if he had one, therefore whoever and whatever the picture of this woman was, she was not his wife. She might have been some one he had loved, but who had not loved him. She might have died. She was jealous of her, but she did not fear her.

After a long and painful effort the woman had completed the winter suit she had made for herself. He had advised her and had helped her. It was a belted tunic that fell to her knees; the red and black stripes ran around it, edged the broad collar, cuffed the warm sleeves and marked the graceful waist line. It was excessively becoming to her. He had been down into the valley, or the pocket, for a final inspection of the burros before the night, which promised to be severe, fell, and she had taken advantage of the opportunity to put it on.

She knew that she was beautiful; her determination to make this evening count had brought an unusual color to her cheeks, an unwonted sparkle to her eye. She stood up as she heard him enter the other room, she was standing erect as he came through the door and faced her. He had only seen her in the now somewhat shabby blue of her ordinary camp dress before, and her beauty fairly smote him in his face. He stood before her, wrapped in his fur great coat, snow and ice clinging to it, entranced. The woman smiled at the effect she produced.

"Take off your coat," she said gently approaching him. "Here, let me help you. Do you realize that I have been here over a month now? I want to have a little talk with you, I want you to tell me something.

CHAPTER XVI.

The Kiss on the Hand.

"Did it ever occur to you," began Enid Maitland gravely enough, for she quite realized the serious nature of the impending conversation, "did it ever occur to you that you know practically all about me, while I know practically nothing about you?"

The man bowed his head.

"You may have fancied that I was not aware of it, but in one way or another you have possessed yourself of pretty all of my short and, until I met you, most uneventful life," she continued.

Newbold might have answered that there was one subject which had been casually introduced by her upon one occasion and to which she had never again referred, but which was to him the most important of all subjects connected with her; and that was the nature of her relationship to one James Armstrong whose name, although he had heard it but once, he had not forgotten. The girl had been frankness itself in following his deft leads when he talked with her about herself, but she had shown the same reticence in recurring to Armstrong that he had displayed in questioning her about him. The statement she had just made as to his acquaintance with her history was therefore sufficiently near the truth to pass unchallenged, and once again he gravely bowed in acquiescence.

"I have withheld nothing from you," went on the girl, "whatever you wanted to know, I have told you. I had nothing to conceal, as you have found out. Why you wanted to know about me, I am not quite sure."

"It was because—" burst out the man impetuously, and then he stopped abruptly and just in time.

Enid Maitland smiled at him in a way that indicated she knew what was behind the sudden check he had imposed upon himself.

"Whatever your reason, your curiosity—"

"Don't call it that, please."

"Your desire then has been gratified. Now it is my turn. I am not even sure about your name. I have seen it in these books and naturally I have imagined that it is yours."

"It is mine."

"Well, that is really all that I know about you. And now I shall be quite frank. I want to know more. You evidently have something to conceal or you would not be living here in this way. I have never asked you about yourself, or manifested the least curiosity to solve the problem you present, to find the solution of the mystery of your life."

"Perhaps," said the man, "you didn't care enough about it to take the trouble to inquire."

"You know," answered the girl, "that is not true. I have been consumed with desire to know."

"A woman's curiosity?"

"Not that," was the soft answer that turned away his wrath.

She was indeed frank. There was that in her way of uttering those two simple words that set his pulses bounding. He was not altogether and absolutely blind.

"Come," said the girl, extending her hand to him, "we are alone here together. We must help each other. You have helped me, you have been of the greatest service to me. I can't begin to count all that you have done for me; my gratitude—"

"Only that?"

"But that is all that you have ever asked or expected," answered the young woman in a low voice whose

He Stood—Entranced.

gentle tones did not at all accord with the boldness and courage of the speech.

"You mean?" asked the man, starting at her, his face aflame.

"I mean," answered the girl swiftly, wilfully misinterpreting and turning his half spoken question another way, "I mean that I am sure that trouble has brought you here. I do not wish to force your confidence, I have no right to do so, yet I should like to enjoy it; can't you give it to me? I want to help you, I want to do my best to make some return for what you have been to me and have done for me."

"I ask but one thing," he said quickly.

"And what is that?"

But again he checked himself.

"No," he said, "I am not free to ask anything of you."

And that answer to Enid Maitland was like a knife thrust in the heart. The two had been standing confronting each other. Her heart grew faint within her. She stretched out her hand vaguely as if for support. He stepped toward her, but before he reached her, she caught the back of the chair and sank down weakly. That he should be bound and not free had never once occurred to her; she had quite misinterpreted the meaning of his remark.

The man did not help her, he could not help her. He just stood and looked at her. She fought valiantly for self-control a moment or two and, then, utterly oblivious to the betrayal of her feelings involved in the question—the moments were too great for consideration of such trivial matters—she faltered.

"You mean there is some other woman?"

He shook his head in negation.

"I don't understand. There was some other woman?"

"Yes."

"Where is she now?"

"Dead."

"But you said you were not free."

He nodded.

"Did you care so much for her that now—that now—"

"Enid," he cried desperately. "Believe me, I never knew what love was until I met you."

The secret was out now; it had been known to her long since, but now it was publicly proclaimed. Even a man as blind, as obsessed, as he could not mistake the joy that illuminated her face at this announcement. That very joy and satisfaction produced upon him, however, a very different effect than might have been anticipated. Had he been free, indeed, he would have swept her to his breast and covered her sweet face with kisses broken by whispered words of passionate endearment. Instead of that he shrank back from her and it was she who was forced to take up the burden of the conversation.

"You say that she is dead," she began in sweet appealing bewilderment, "and that you care so much for me and yet you—"

"I am a murderer," he broke out harshly. "There is blood upon my hands, the blood of a woman who loved me and whom, boy as I was, I thought that I loved. She was my wife, I killed her."

"Great God," cried the girl amazed beyond measure or expectation by this sudden avowal which she had once suspected, and her hand instinctively went to the bosom of her dress where she kept that soiled, water stained packet of letters, "are you that man?"

"I am the man that did that thing, but what do you know?" he asked quickly, amazed in his turn.

"Old Kirkby, my uncle Robert Maitland, told me your story; they said that you had disappeared from the haunts of men—"

"And they were right. What else was there for me to do? Although innocent of crime, I was blood guilty. I was mad. No punishment could be visited upon me like that imposed by the stern, awful, appalling fact. I swore to prison myself, to have nothing more forever to do with mankind or womankind with whom I was unworthy to so associate, to live alone until God took me. To cherish my memories, to make such expiation as I could, to pray daily for forgiveness, I came here to the wildest, the most inaccessible, the loneliest spot in the range. No one ever would come here I fancied, no one ever did come but you. I was happy after a fashion, or at least content. I had chosen the better part. I had work, I could read, write, remember and dream. But you came and since that time life has been heaven and hell. Heaven because I love you, hell because to love you means disloyalty to the past, to a woman who loved me. Heaven because you are here; I can hear your voice, I can see you, your soul is spread out before me in its sweetness, in its purity; hell because I am false to my determination, to my vow, to the love of the past."

"And did you love her so much, then?" asked the girl, now fiercely jealous and forgetful of other things for the moment.

(To be Continued.)

STUNNING RECEPTION GOWN FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

By La Reconteuse.

A stunning reception gown for young women is shown in the above cut. It is made of white satin, the bodice with the long sleeves opening over a white taffeta "fillet" embroidered "an passe" and fastened with pearl buttons. It is veiled by two "guipure" bands tied at the shoulder. The skirt is also draped with a large band of "guipure" held up by a huge "chou" of the same color. A nicely draped girdle of white satin lends a most attractive finishing touch.

AN ATTRACTIVE WINTER COSTUME.

By La Reconteuse.

The above photograph illustrates an attractive winter costume, a product of the ingenious Paquin. The material is a chestnut brown velvet, cut in long loose lines, giving the garment a robe like effect. Blue fox fur is used as a trimming. Framing the broad revers, it is slightly gathered at the waist line, where it is marked by a velvet bow and crosses around the hips, continuing in two long flaps in the back, and is ended by a fringe of the same color. The large muff is also of chestnut brown velvet trimmed with blue fox fur.

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Too Many People Take Headache Powders When a Liver Tonic is Needed.

Try Olive Tablets—the Substitute For Calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are the one substitute for dangerous calomel. They do all of calomel's work without any of its bad after effects.

There is no necessity when you take Olive Tablets, of following them up with nasty, sickening, griping salts or castor oil, as you should after taking calomel.

Olive Tablets do not contain calomel or any other metallic drugs; they are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil, sugar-coated; easy to take, and never gripe or cause weakness.

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Olive Tablets are made of pure vegetable compounds mixed with olive oil.

Dr. Edwards, calomel's old enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with liver and bowel troubles.

Try them for a week. Take one on retiring nightly.

"Every little Olive Tablet has a movement of its own."

10c and 25c per box.

The Olive Tablet Company of Columbus, Ohio. Dr. F. M. Edwards, President. 66

Roy Corhan and Russell Blackburne, the two clever shortstops of the White Sox who were on the hospital list last season, have recovered from their injuries and will join the Sox on the training trip.

FAMOUS AMERICAN INDIANS

BY ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

BLACK HAWK.

His Indian name—or the best known of his several Indian names—was Maka-Taime-Shekia-Kiak. It means "Big bird, that is black" and is usually translated "Black Hawk." He had the figure of a Greek god and a head and face closely resembling Sir Walter Scott's.

Black Hawk began life in the Sac and Fox Nation, near Rock River, in Illinois. By the time he was fifteen he had gone through the torture and weird ceremonials entitling him to call himself a "brave." Next year, in 1783, the sixteen-year-old lad went at the head of a small war party against 100 Osage Indians and won his first victory. At nineteen he led 200 Sacs and Foxes against 200 Osages. Fully 100 of the Osages were slain, and Black Hawk with his own hand killed six of his foes.

A Refusal to Yield.

In the War of 1812 Black Hawk was persuaded by Tecumseh to join the British ranks as a brigadier general. With 500 native followers he did valiant deeds against the United States, and incidentally learned much about civilized warfare. Keokuk, head chief of the tribe, was—or pretended to be—a friend of the government. Black Hawk hated Keokuk and started a strong opposition faction, with himself at its head. A treaty had been made whereby for a yearly payment of $1,000 the Sacs and Foxes were to turn over to the white men a 700-mile tract of land east of the Mississippi river. Accordingly Keokuk and his followers moved west across the Mississippi. Black Hawk refused to go. He said the officials had made the chiefs drunk and tricked them into the unfair treaty, and he refused to be bound by any such agreement. Then he started a confederacy of neighboring tribes for the purpose of destroying all settlers who should try to seize the Indian lands.

Bloodshed followed. Governor Reynolds of Illinois called out the militia. A brief campaign was followed by a new treaty, which Black Hawk signed. In accordance with this agreement he moved his braves and squaws across the Mississippi. But he only stayed there long enough to perfect his plan for a great Indian confederacy against the white men. Then, assured that many tribes would flock to his standard, he recrossed to the river's east bank. But only a small proportion of the warriors from other tribes whose aid he had relied on actually joined him. So he found himself on the brink of war with the government and with perhaps less than half the following he needed for such a conflict. He sent a flag of truce to a government force that was pursuing him. The Indian who bore the flag was shot down by the soldiers. Where at Black Hawk in fury attacked the troops (270 men, under Major Isaiah Stillman) on May 14, 1832, and with only seventy Indians put them to utter rout. The war was on!

Black Hawk swept like wildfire through the nearby settlements, leaving flame and death in his wake. The government say it had a real frontier war on its hands and sent broadcast a call for troops. (In the conflict that followed there were four officers who were later to win national fame. They were Abraham Lincoln, Winfield Scott, Zachary Taylor and Jefferson Davis.) Black Hawk attacked Apple River Fort on June 24, 1832, and next day defeated a strong detachment of United States troops. But the odds against him were too severe. As the white soldiers massed in greater numbers Black Hawk and his gallant braves were forced gradually backward, fighting furiously for every inch of the way until they reached the mouth of the Bad Ax river. A United States steamship lay off the shore.

Insult to a Fallen Foe.

Black Hawk sent forward a flag of truce. The steamship disregarded the white flag and hurled shells into the Indian camp, where squaws and papooses were huddled. The pursuing troops finished the rout. The Indian army was cut to pieces. Black Hawk escaped, but was soon captured. He was held prisoner for months at Fortress Monroe, then taken on a tour of New York and other big cities that he might see the full power of the white man. He was at last permitted to return home, only to find that the government had made Keokuk chief of his old-time warriors. Beaten, deposed from rank and power, homeless, hopeless, the old chief did not long survive his disgrace. He died Oct. 3, 1838, near Des Moines, Ia.

When Black Hawk was captured in 1832 he turned to his fellow prisoners and cried: "Farewell, my nation! Black Hawk tried to save you and avenge your wrongs. He shed the blood of many of the whites. Now he is a prisoner and his plans are overthrown. He can do no more. He nears his end. His sun is setting and will rise never again. Farewell to Black Hawk!"

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Escaped Indigestion, Perhaps.

Father—So mother had to send you to bed without your supper last night, Archie?

Son—Yes, sir.

"And are you not sorry?"

"No, papa, I'm not sorry. Mamma had some of her own biscuits for supper last night!"

Have You Lost Anything?

If you have then advertise for it in our classified column. 1c a word.

BASKETBALL.

COKERS GET WORST END OF SCHEDULE AGAIN THIS WEEK

They Have Four Hard Games in a Row Once More Meeting Charleroi and Johnstown Here—At Uniontown Thursday

Saturday Night's Results.
South Side 37 Charleroi 33
Uniontown 26, Johnstown 16

Standing of the Teams

	W	L	Pct
Johnstown	20	9	763
Uniontown	27	11	711
Connellsville	20	19	513
Charleroi	18	20	474
South Side	7	..	1.6

Connellsville again drew the short end of the week's schedule. The Cokers have four hard games in a row. The next day after the Cokers meet Uniontown on their floor they are scheduled to play Johnstown here. Following is the schedule.

Tuesday—Connellsville at South Side.

Wednesday—Charleroi at Connellsville.

Thursday—Connellsville at Uniontown.

Friday—Johnstown at Connellsville.

The Connellsville Independents went to Scottdale Saturday night and defeated the scholastic team of that place 35 to 22. The Scottdale team were claimants of the championship of Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny counties. Bishop's floor work and close shooting netting him seven field goals, and Brown's foul shooting featured. Brown missed but one foul in the second half.

The Independents will meet Scottdale here at an early date. Arrangements have been made to meet the Broadway A. C. of Meyersdale at that place on February 27. Meyersdale recently held Johnstown to a good score and now claims the amateur championship of Western Pennsylvania.

"Plugger" Doherty is around again after being laid up with tonsilitis. "Plugger" lost six pounds and is still weak but hopes to be in harness shortly.

Basketball in Fairmont is the popular winter sport and practically a new innovation in the West Virginia town. The amateur game has been flourishing all winter and the fans will get their first sight of professionals when Uniontown plays there February 6.

Fairmont fans will make strenuous efforts next year to break in the Central league. Johnstown is reported to be on the rocks and reports from the Flood City state that they will be absent from the league circuit next year. Washington is already scouting for a place to take the place of the Pittsburg amateurs. Plans are being made, it is said, for the erection of an immense auditorium seating more people than any other plant in the league. According to the plans of the Fairmont promoters that town will have very little difficulty in securing a berth in the league next season. They plan to build an Armory which will be the home of the leaguers.

Senator C. W. Watson has been putting Fairmont on the map lately by holding up the town's sporting reputation. Last Thanksgiving he brought the West Virginia University-Denison football game to Fairmont, promising to stand good for a large guarantee.

GYMNASIUMS TO REPLACE DANCE HALL IN SPOKANE

Child Welfare League Believes in Spending Money on Grammar Grades Instead of High Schools.

Special to The Courier.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 22.—A gymnasium in every grammar school, the abolition of the public dance hall and the noodle joint and the substitution of the supervised playground and the neighborhood social center will be urged by the committee appointed this week by the Child Welfare League to investigate conditions in oriental cafes and public ball rooms.

This is the statement of Mrs. W. H. Pake, secretary of the league and chairman of the committee. Continuing, she said:

"Why spend thousands and thousands of dollars upon our high school equipment—the school of the favored few—and not one cent upon the masses of children who never reach the high school. The cause of their failure to reach the high school may be lack of physical strength to stand the mental strain of school.

"The public dance hall and the noodle joints must go. The school house must be made an institution, a university of the people. It is here we want our boys and girls to meet for social life. Here we want the tired father and mother to find recreation, relaxation and stimulus.

"We want supervised playgrounds and the wider use of the school house as a social center, without having to pay fees to the janitor.

"This committee will be enlarged and it will number upon it the most progressive men and women of the city. We are determined to get results."

Louisville Poultry Show.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 22.—The annual exhibition of the Louisville Poultry and Pet Stock Association opened in the armory today with a record breaking display of chickens, turkeys, pigeons, rabbits, dogs and other varieties of poultry and pet stock.

Wife Died of Joy.

PASSAIC, N. J., Jan. 22.—When her husband, Rev. A. F. Vandenheuvel, suspended by his church because his name was mentioned in a divorce suit, was exonerated and reinstated his wife died of the strain of joy, doctors say.

AMERICAN WOMAN FENCER TO MEET ENGLISH BARONESS

MRS WILLIAM DEWAR

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—Mrs. William H. Dewar of 3407 North Twenty-second street is practicing daily for her fencing bout with the Baroness de Meyer, the famous English fencer who is now visiting in New York. The contest is scheduled to take place at the Colony club of New York January 27.

CALENDAR OF SPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

MONDAY.

Opening of annual show of the Detroit Automobile Dealers Association.

Opening of annual show of Rhode Island Licensed Automobile Dealers Association.

Wrestling match between Zbyszko and Karla at Boston.

Johnny Coulon vs. Harry Forbes, 10 rounds at Kenosha, Wis.

Leach Cross vs. Tommy Murphy, 10 rounds at New York.

TUESDAY.

Meeting to reorganize the Ohio and Pennsylvania league.

Opening of annual New Year golf tournament at Palm Beach, Florida.

Opening of annual bonspiel of Portage Curling Club, Portage La Prairie, Man.

Intercollegiate basketball contest between Princeton and Yale at New Haven.

Mike Gibbons vs. Jack Denning, 10 rounds at New York.

Danny Goodman vs. Leo Kelly, 8 rounds at Chattanooga.

WEDNESDAY.

Midwinter handicap trapshooting tournament opens at Pinehurst, N. C.

Opening of annual fencing shop of the Cleveland Fencers Club, Cleveland, O.

Annual tournament of the Atlantic Whist Association opens in New York.

Packey McFarland vs. Jack Ward, rounds at Philadelphia.

Monte Attell vs. Chick Hayes, 10 rounds at Indianapolis.

Johnny Kilbane vs. Patsy Drouillard, 8 rounds at Windsor, Ont.

THURSDAY.

Annual indoor games of the Irish American A. C., Madison Square Garden, New York.

Eddie McGoorty vs. Hugo Kelly, 10 rounds at Fond du Lac, Wis.

FRIDAY.

Meeting of the Big Eight College conference in Chicago.

Opening of annual bench show of the Lynn Kennel Club, Lynn, Mass.

Sam Langford vs. Sam McVey, 20 rounds at Sydney, Australia.

SATURDAY.

Annual meeting of the Mountain State Baseball League at Charleston, W. Va.

Annual tournament of the National Ski Association opens at Cary, Ill.

Opening of New England Motor Boat Show in Mechanics Building, Boston.

Annual show of the National Association of Automobile Manufacturers opens in Chicago.

Opening of annual show of Automobile Dealers Association of Pittsburg.

"Knockout" Brown vs. Frank Klaus, 6 rounds at Pittsburg.

Intercollegiate hockey: Harvard vs. Cornell, at Boston; Yale vs. Princeton, at New York; Amherst vs. Williams at Amherst; Trinity vs. M. A. C. at Hartford; Army vs. Massachusetts Tech at West Point; Springfield Training vs. Rensselaer P. I. at Troy.

1,000 MEN WANTED

In Connellsville Like John the Baptist. Apply at U. B. Church Jan. 28.

The above will be the subject of an address by Rev. A. B. Wilson, pastor of the United Brethren church, to which every man in Connellsville is most cordially invited Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Special singing by the men's chorus. Solo by L. C. Hoover. Selections by a male quartet.

Meetings will be held every evening this week at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will speak on the following subjects: Monday evening, The Awful Effects of Sin; Tuesday, Christ the Door of the Kingdom; Wednesday, Be Sure Your Sins Will Out; Thursday, Reasons for Not Being Ashamed of the Gospel; Friday, Where Will You Spend Eternity; Sunday, 3:00 P. M., The Attractive Power of a Religious Life; 7:30 P. M., Man's Greatest Duty and Privilege.

Red Sunday Anniversary.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 22.—Today was the seventh anniversary of Red Sunday, when Father Capon led a demonstration of the people before the Winter Palace and many were killed by the troops. Owing probably to the extra precautions taken by the police the anniversary passed without any disorderly demonstrations.

Wright-Metzler's

Not An Expensive Place to Trade . . .

All Over the Store---On Wednesday Morning, the 24th---Begins Our

Remnant Day

The goods are all right but there's been a smashing of prices to make it pay you, as no other store here ever did, to rid our stocks from basement to carpet room—of the ones and twos, the odd numbers, the broken lots—from each section—and the short ends—varying lengths—of fabric goods. You'll save one-fourth, one-third, a half and even more than half on fabric goods and on other things your saving will be somewhat more.

Woolens
An extra treat in extra lengths of all staple and fancy mixtures, serges to handsomest Scotch tweeds. Lengths for skirts and to whole suits. Values 50c to $3.00.

Silks
Sufficient quantities at remnant prices for entire gowns down to a small piece to trim fancy work. Every kind you ever heard of—and some sorts you have not. Included 50c to $2.00 values.

Ribbons
Great quantities of accumulated belt ends that may be used for hair ornament, trimming or fancy work. Plain sorts to double faced kinds. 10c to $1 yard regular.

Trimmings
Ends of colored bands, crystal, gold band work, ball and fringe kinds. White and dainty tones. Remnant prices on all from the 10c sort to the exclusive kinds at $5 a yard.

Ornaments
of gold, silk, crystal in color silk and every other fashionable material. Such kinds at remnant prices as will be the vogue this coming season.

Embroideries
embracing corset cover, all over edges, insertions, galloons and bands. Lengths to trim lingerie and children's underclothes, baby dresses, etc.

Laces
Heretofore priced 7c to $3.00 yard. German and French Val., venise, cluny, torchon, short pieces in all widths, each useful and at a reduction.

White Goods
Useful now and more so later. Waistings in the whole category of plain weaves, lawn, cloth to Persian lawn.

Mulls
Formerly priced 25c to 0c. The short length are at a big saving. Plain white and all the staple colors.

Table Damask
Half ends suit for small tables, lunch cloths, etc. Patterns to the st double damask. In the accumulation. Originally the prices were 0c to $2 yard.

Decorative Linen
Remnant prices on soiled squares, scarfs, doilies, piano covers etc. The cost now will be about half.

Ginghams
One group contains all the finer dress ginghams in varying lengths and widths. Apron ginghams of standard makes will be found elsewhere. Lengths for aprons and a multitude of uses.

Calico
Remnants of the best grades in light and dark patterns. Quilt lining calico and plain flat colors included. The saving will figure big.

Outing Cloth
and lots of it. Supply yourself for the making of children's slumber garments and underwear. Light and dark colors, all the best kinds.

Linings
Percaline, sateen, satin, heatherbloom etc., all colors and black. All lengths in all kinds.

Silkolines
Swisses, Nets, Madras and cretonnes. Everything for decorative use and the shorter pieces for fancy work bags etc.

Crashes
from short ends for tea towels to longer pieces long enough for roller towels. Small pieces for art work etc.

Underwear
Women's, children's and infants cotton, woolen and mixed garments with shortened prices for certain lots. Winter weights only.

Blankets
and comforts. All with prices clipped. Full size cotton, woolfilled and wool blankets and clean cotton filled comforts.

Winter Gloves
Warm fabric gloves for women and children. Some kid gloves with prices in keeping with the lower cost of other sorts.

Winter Hosiery
A stocking for women—Cadet 25c kind—at 19c pair. Linen heel and toes and strong garter top. Black, all sizes.

Royal Society
package goods of fancy work. Threads and all requirements in one package. Selling now at a price discount.

Women's Suits
Five groups—three of which embrace regular size suits at $7.98 to $12.98. Two groups extra size at $8.75 and $15.75.

Cloth Coats
Women's and misses sizes at $3.98 to $15.98. Four groups embracing our entire stock originally priced $10 to $35.

Fur Coats
for women. Pony, nearseal, marmot, Persian lamb, black velour etc. Reductions on the entire stock. Best goods.

Muffs, Etc
Reductions range from one third to more than half. Everything in stock included. Women's and children's muffs and scarfs.

Women's Dresses
House and street gowns of silk and serges. The reductions vary according to the grouping—$ 98 to $1 .8—$35 values.

Panama Skirts
All wool. About 25 in the lot. Prices were $5 to $5.50—to sell for $2.98. Lace voile skirts $6.98 to $3.98 values to $35.

Women's Corsets
Four famous makes that have certain numbers in the sale at deep reductions. Some became soiled in handling.

All Sweaters
for women and children at a discount of 25%. Your choice of white, grey, brown, cardinal, etc. V necks and other sorts.

Flannelette Garments
For women and children. Kimonos, dressing sacques, children's underskirts, gowns. The reductions average 25% less—until gone.

Women's Waists
Lingerie and tailored styles are price cut and silk waists at so little cost.

Petticoats
All $2.50 to $7.50 colored sateen and heatherbloom are 98c. Some black and colored silk worth $3.50 to $10 each $1.75. All other silk ones are reduced one fourth. Mercerized petticoats and knit ones are price cut.

Men's Suits
Entire stock now divided into two groups: $10 for $15 to $17.50 suits; $16 for $18 to $30 suits. All sizes and kinds.

Men's Overcoats
Button to the neck sorts or the regular notched collar styles. A straight 33⅓% reduction on our entire stock.

Boys' Suits
Double breasted Norfolk, sailor and Russian styles. Price reductions that almost average half. Sizes 2 years to 17. No blue.

Boys' Overcoats
Every sort reduced thus:
$3.00 for $4.00 ones
$3.75 for $5.00 ones
$4.95 for $7.50 ones
$7.50 for $10.00 ones

Boys' Pants
One small lot worth to $1 for 19c pair. All others ¼ less from 39c to $1.50. Five prices between.

Men's Pants
One lot sorted from regular stock at half price. They range from $2 to $7.50 regularly. All others at a reduction.

Men's Hats
Choice for 98c of one lot containing stiff and soft hats in black and colors worth to $3.50 each. All sizes.

Luggage
All suit cases and bags are 25 per cent less. No reservation of kind or value. All sizes in black, tan and brown.

Men's Vests
One lot of fancy vests for men. White and colored effects. Values to $7.50. Remnant price 89c. Sizes 34 to 40.

Overcoat Special
About 75 overcoats for men at $6.95. This lot contains coats worth to $25. Some are silk lined, all are black and short.

Boys' Sweaters
For 75c the sweaters from the $1 and $1.19 class. Boys sizes in grey, blue and cardinal. Wool reinforced with cotton to insure washing. All other sweaters for men and boys at a discount of 25 per cent.

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Shoe Bargains
For men, women and children. 13 lots ranging in price from $1.95 for one lot values to $5, to $1.95 for evening slippers.

Men's Furnishings
Underwear, half hose, mufflers, dress shirts, night garments of flannelette and boys waists. All grouped into lots and price-cut.

9x12 Rugs
Nine kinds on sale at heavy reductions. Good, reliable sorts, fast colors and long lived. New prices $8.98 to $42.50. All sorts.

11 3x12 Feet Rugs
Four kinds—3 grades of Brussels and one of Axminster. Good patterns, fast colors and choice designs. Low priced.

Small Rugs
Five kinds ranging from 22x36 body brussels at $1.48 for $2.00 grade to a $3.75 Axminster, 36 by 72 for $2.80 each. Full size.

Carpets
Yard wide ingrains and 3-4 tapestry, velvet and Axminster fabrics for halls, stairs and rooms. Deep reductions, first quality.

Mattings
Jap and China mattings at 19c for 25c kinds and 22c for the 30c grades. 35c oil cloths at 23c a square yard.

Linoleums
Printed and inlaid patterns
60c—printed 48c square yard.
75c—printed 60c square yard.
$1.00—inlaid 85c square yard.
$1.50—inlaid $1.15 square yard.

Portiers, Etc.
Tapestry portiers on sale at the rate of $2.25 for $3 kinds, six grades between—to $7.25 for regular $10 values. Couch covers reduced—the whole stock.

Curtains
One and two strips of a kind ½ less. Two pair lots ⅓ less. All other sorts ¼ less. Every kind carried in stock.

Madras Curtains
For bed rooms, dining rooms, dens and up-stairs rooms. Prices range from 72c for $1 kinds, to $5.10 for $4 grades.

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FRED KOENIG

AUTO RACING WITH FAST EXPRESS TRAIN

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Jan. 22.—Fred Koenig, a local automobile enthusiast, has beaten the Twentieth Century Limited, the New York Central's fastest train, in a two mile race, and he is ready for another trial of speed if the engineer of the big locomotive thinks he can do better than he did before. The race was from Miss Helen Gould's dock two miles south of the station to Tarrytown. Koenig started south of the dock but ran slow enough that the train overtook him at a straight stretch of track over which high speed is common. Then Koenig increased his pace and waved his hand at the engineer as a challenge. The engineer threw the throttle wide open and the race was on. A dressing of snow over the ice afforded as good a purchase to the automobile tires as would a dirt road and the big racing car swung along as true as though it has been on steel runners and sailing in front of a gale of wind. The train and its consort raced thus for a mile without either attaining the slightest advantage and the passengers began to cheer in the belief that they would win or run a dead heat. Then the automobile's engine began humming a little faster and it drew away from the train and ended the second mile with an open lead of a hundred yards. Though the auto and train were going at high speed when this photograph was made, by a curious trick of the lens the spokes of the wheels of the auto show and it appears to be stationary.

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